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Nehru explains Asia's role in world affairs

Urge Gandhi's approach to meet problems

ADDRESS IN JAKARTA

Addressing a mass meeting in front of the President's Palace this evening, Pandit Nehru, Indian Prime Minister, declared: "When aggression and evil threaten us, we cannot submit to them and have to face them with all our strength."

Even in doing so, he warned: "We must always remember the basic objectives we have, lest the success we achieve may be superficial only and lead ultimately to some other form of degradation."

Pandit Nehru was speaking on the role of Asia in international affairs. He referred to the achievement of Indian independence and said: "Almost always nations attained their freedom by a violent revolution but Gandhi showed us another way."

"That method did not do away with blood, tears or suffering, but it did reduce the extent of suffering, lessened the hatred and violence that normally accompany such struggles."

"It is well to remember that today, when the world is full of hatred and violence,

"It was largely by following Gandhi's method that we achieved freedom and we did it in a way so as to leave little bitterness between us and those against whom we struggled till yesterday."

"That, I think, is an achievement which is worthy of note and which may well have a lesson for us in solving the great problems that confront us today."

"We have achieved independence and so have you. But both you and we have tremendous problems before us. We will solve them no doubt. But they will require a source of energy that we possess: and all the wisdom and courage that we may have."

Basic approach

"Some of your problems are the same as ours; some are different. But whatever the problems may be, the basic approach to them should be governed by the same principles. You have great and experienced leaders whom we in India honour and respect and it is not for me to offer advice to you as to what you should do and what you should not do."

"But after varied experience, stretching over 35 years of intense public activity at all its up and down, failures and achievements, I want to tell you that I am convinced that the progress of my country as well as others depends greatly on our adopting that basic approach that Gandhi taught us."

"It is in the measure that we do that we will solve our own or the world's problems. We have to build up and maintain unity among all the people of our respective countries and make them all equal partners in our freedom."

The Weather

At 0600 GMT (6 p.m. HKST) the tropical storm is now stationary off northern China very slowly northwards in the Formosa Strait off the West coast of Central Formosa. It is linked northwards to a trough another depression which has developed over Korea. This depression is moving slowly eastwards. The trough of low pressure extends over the China Sea from the tropical storm southwards to the Philippines.

Today's forecast—Moderate, or fresh NE winds, fair or fine.

Yesterday's weather:

Minimum 1022 mb. Feb.

Maximum 1018 mb. Total since Jan. 1st 1954 min. 1021 mb. (by 1000 hrs. 1st June)

Forecast—Fair or fine.

Wind direction NNE.

Wind force 3.

Wind speed 10-15 mph.

Cloudiness 10%.

Temperature 25°C.

Humidity 70%.

Pressure 1018 mb.

Sea level 1018 mb.

Sea surface 1018 mb.

Sea bottom 1018 mb.

Sea surface 1018 mb.

King's Birthday Party



The Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, is photographed shaking hands with Sir Robert Ho Tung, at the garden party at Government House yesterday in honour of the King's Birthday. Sir Robert is being aided by his secretary, Miss Eileen Chung. On the extreme right is Mr. John Strachey, the War Minister. ("China Mail" Photo).

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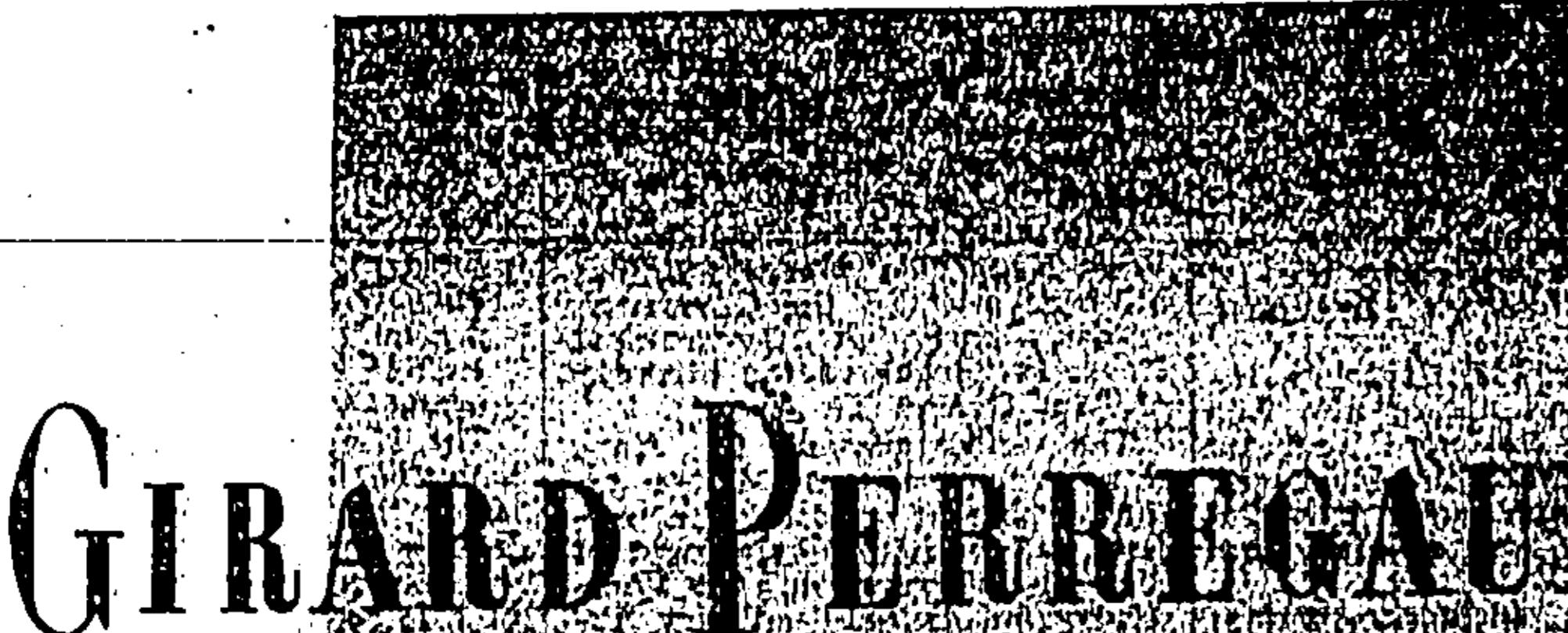


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Soviet Union not giving ground in the cold war

Lake Success, June 7.
A diplomatic source said today that Mr. Trygve Lie told President Truman that Stalin offered no concessions toward ending the cold war but actually had laid down new conditions. A UN spokesman promptly denied the report and refused further comment.

The diplomat, who would not permit use of his name, said he had information that Mr. Lie told Mr. Truman on May 29 that the Soviet Union was not giving ground in the cold war.

Mr. Truman was reported to have replied that the United States could not accept the new conditions and would continue its present course.

The informant said he did not know what conditions were put up by Stalin.

One UN source who talked with Mr. Lie on Wednesday described the Secretary-General as more confident than ever that the Chinese issue in the UN would be settled in the Security Council before July 31.

This source said there is a definite possibility of a break in July, with France and Egypt apparently planning to furnish the

necessary votes to expel Nationalist China from the Council.

Malik concurs holiday

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UN officials pointed to the section of Mr. Acheson's statement that the Secretary-General deserved "our encouragement and support."

Commenting on Mr. Lie's 10-point plan for achieving peace in the world, Mr. Acheson said the U.S. has always been ready to negotiate with other members of the UN on any matter in the appropriate forums.—Associated Press.

ROAD CRASH

Pai Ki, 24, sustained serious head injuries when his car crashed into the rear of a Police car parked before the Tai Po Road Police Station early yesterday morning.

Pai Ki was at the wheel when the accident occurred. The front part of the private car, licence No. 9486, was badly damaged.

An ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to Kowloon hospital.

Although there was considerable damage done to the cargo no one on board was injured and the lighter itself suffered slight damage,

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King's Birthday celebrated at garden party at Gov't House

Nearly 2,000 people gathered in the gardens of Government House yesterday to celebrate the birthday of His Majesty the King. The Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, and Lady Grantham, were hosts. Also in the receiving line was Mr. John Strachey, the Secretary of State for War.

Guests began to arrive by 4:30 in the afternoon, and at one time the crowd was so intense that a queue began to form which extended to the gates of Government House fronting Upper Albert Road.

Traffic along this road was not diverted for the occasion, but there were long periods of stallings as hundreds of private cars and taxis converged on the Governor's residence.

It was the second Government House garden party this season—the first was in honour of the Countess Mountbatten of Burma when she was here—and was a brilliant success.

The guests comprised representatives from the Consulat, the three services, the police, the legal profession, financiers, bankers, Government, and the Press.

The Governor, Lady Grantham, and Mr. Strachey shook hands with all the guests as soon as they were announced. It took more than half an hour for the line to proceed beyond them into the gardens.

Military band

A military band provided music, and refreshments were served in the left-hand corner of the garden.

The day was fine, but hot. With the exception of the Chinese guests—of whom there were several hundred—all the ladies wore hats, picture hats, off-face hats, and lace ensembles. Many also wore gloves.

A feature of the occasion was the presence of distinguished residents, who were mentioned in the Birthday Honours List.

Sir Alexander and Lady Grantham—who will be departing very soon on leave—mingled freely with the crowd bidding adieu to many acquaintances and friends. The Governor was dressed in grey tails, and Lady Grantham wore a light-blue summer frock with a peplum bustle, and parasol to match.

The party lasted nearly two

Kowloon Rotary Club luncheon

Kowloon Rotarians at their weekly luncheon at the Peninsula Hotel yesterday were entertained with two short travel films shown by Rotarian R. S. Hudson through the courtesy of the United States Information Service.

The films, entitled "Bryce National Park" and "Yellowstone National Park," showed two of the tourist attractions in the United States.

A toast to the King-on-the-occasion of His Majesty's birthday was proposed by Mr. Elmer J. S. Tau who presided at the luncheon.

Expressions of good wishes and bon voyage were expressed by members of Rotarian W. J. Geal, Sergeant-At-Arms, who is due to leave for the United Kingdom by the ss. Canton today.

Mr. Geal, who is also District Grand Master of Mark Master Masons, is taking his first leave in 18 years. He is leaving with Mrs. Geal and expects to return to the Colony in December.

The popular Rotarian was a member of the Hong Kong Volunteer Force and was interned by the Japanese in Shanshupu Camp during the war. During the internment he did much to relieve the monotony of camp life for his fellow internees by his sense of humour and ready wit through the entertainment committee.

At the conclusion of the showing of the films, Mr. Hudson was thanked by Rotarian Leo Naylor.

A visiting Rotarian at the luncheon was Mr. Dan Nath of Rangoon, who is visiting the Colony with U Ba Sein, who was a guest.

Other guests were J. S. C. Neal, B. M. Brabant, A. W. Cutcher, Roy John, R. S. Brown, W. O. Brown, A. A. Dean, J. E. White and J. B. McStableford.

CPAL flight postponed

The Canadian Pacific Air Lines postponed its Tokyo flight yesterday due to strong cross wind at Kai Tak.

Originally on schedule to depart for Tokyo yesterday morning, the flight was first postponed to a later hour in the afternoon.

At about 5 p.m. the CPAL decided to postpone the flight this morning.

PHOTOGRAPHER EXECUTED

A photograph of the Nationalist Air Force was exhibited by a group squad on Sunday at Taipei.

The photograph showed a group of men in military uniforms standing in formation.

In the foreground, however, the United Nations flag was visible.

According to the newspaper, the photograph was taken by a Chinese

Estuary at Tientsin deepened

San Francisco, June 7.
The Peking Radio reported today that the estuary from Taku Bar to Tientsin has been dredged and is now able to accommodate ships up to 200 feet draft, which goes directly to Tientsin port. The dredging has been underway for two months.

The broadcast said that ships are now plying regularly between Tientsin and Dairen, Chefoo, Antung, Tsingtao, Yingkow, and Liayun. A further increase in coastal traffic is expected now that the Chusan Islands have been occupied.

At the same time, transport rates of all shipping companies have been reduced to about one-quarter those which formerly prevailed under the Nationalist regime. Daily necessities such as coal, salt, grain, iron ore, have the lowest transport rates, the broadcast said. —United Press.

Catholic Cabinet in Belgium

Brussels, June 8.
Premier-designate Jean Duvicourt formed an all-Catholic Cabinet today and pledged to return exiled King Leopold to the Belgian throne.

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HKAFA plane in mishap at Kai Tak

A Hong Kong Auxiliary Air Force Auster aircraft had a minor accident while it was making a landing at Kai Tak at about noon yesterday.

Owing to strong cross winds, the little aircraft dropped along the runway.

As a result of the landing gear of the aircraft was crushed by the sudden drop.

The pilot was not injured.

When the accident occurred a Civil Air Transport aircraft from Taipeh was following the HKAFA aircraft also coming in for a landing.

Noticing the accident, the CAT pilot pulled up his plane and did not land until after he had circled the airport twice.

RUSSIA RECALLS REPRESENTATIVE IN BERLIN

Berlin, June 7.
Russia today called home her Berlin representative, Major-General Alexander Kotlikov—the man who wrecked the old Four-power Kommandatura by too frequent use of the veto.

In announcing the action, the Soviet-licensed news agency ADN merely said that Kotlikov "was recalled from his obligations as representative of the Soviet Control Commission in Berlin with the assumption of new tasks in the Soviet Union."

His successor was named as Sergei Alexeievich Dengin. No military or civilian rank or title was given.—Associated Press.

ST. JOHN ORDERS

Orders by Mr. A. G. Arculli, Commissioner, St. John Ambulance, British, Hong Kong, Kowloon, dated June 9, 1958, Order No. 22/60:

Police Honours: June 11 to 13, South China Division; June 16 to 24, Central Division.

Ambulance Duties: Kowloon: June 15 to 26, Tsimshatsui Division.

Rescue Duties: Kowloon: Transport will leave, Ambulance Station Nathan Road at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. on Sunday; Tsimshatsui: Saturday and Sunday.

Medical Duties: Saturday and Sunday.

First Aid: Kowloon: June 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334

Signs of collapse becoming evident in Philippines

Washington, June 7. "America," the national Catholic weekly review, states editorially in its latest issue that signs of immediate collapse are becoming evident in the Philippines.

"Today, the young Republic is rocking on its heels," the publication says in an editorial captioned "Cancer Spreads to Philippines."

"Symptoms are the same as those affecting the rest of South East Asia—political and economic incompetence and instability...." the magazine said.

PI Consul-General in HK recalled

Manila, June 8. The Philippines Government has recalled Dr. Jose Rodriguez, their Consul General at Hong Kong.

The Secretary of Foreign Affairs, General Carlos P. Romulo, also called home from foreign service a Legation first secretary and two minor staff members. They are Mr. Tomas Carap, First Secretary of the Philippines Legation in Madrid, and Mr. Oscar Moran and Mr. Teodoro Rodriguez of the London Legation.

General Romulo declined to give any reason for the recall, but informed sources in Manila said they were steps in his campaign to "house clean" the Department.

He told the Associated Press that President Elpidio Quirino had accepted Mr. Carap's resignation. — Associated Press.

KMT ruling on gov't enterprises

Taipei, June 8. The Taiwan Cabinet has ordered, into immediate effect, drastic overhauling and streamlining, and in some cases, complete abolition of the government-operated enterprises.

Drafted by Premier Chen Cheng and approved late yesterday by the Executive Yuan, the order will have ramifications abroad as well as in Taiwan as some of the business organizations affected have outstanding shares owned privately and also some operate and have bank deposits abroad.

Banking and shipping agencies are the most important of those affected. The Central Bank, Bank of China, Bank of Communications, the China Tanker Company and the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company will all be retained. The China Silk Culture Corporation, the China Vegetable Oil Corporation and the Central Co-operative Bank will be abolished.

The Bank of China, Bank of Communications and Farmers Bank of China will maintain head offices in Taipei in order to carry on foreign business. The same applies to the Postal Remittance and Savings Bank. The Farmers Bank has commercial shares outstanding and the Postal Bank has deposits abroad.

Protection against seizure

The complicated procedure of closing down operations, but maintaining offices is being done as a legal protection against possible Communist efforts to seize Nationalist assets abroad.

The official statement on reorganization was issued by the government spokesman, Shen Chang-huan. He said: "The Communists have been trying to every means to seize them. Should their legal status be changed, it would be seized upon as an excuse by the Communists."

Detailed plans for reorganization, reduction of personnel and increased efficiency were listed for all the 26 businesses which the government operates or in which it has a share.

As outlined by Shen, the purpose is to eliminate conditions such as "poor management and lavishness of government-operated enterprises which in recent years not only invited public indignation but also procured adverse effects on our financial and economic progress." — United Press.

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Reminders

Today

Cheero Services Club, Amateur Night, 7:30 p.m.
Nine Dragons Services Club, Tombola, 8 p.m.
Union Jack Club, dance, 8 p.m.
Organ Recital, St. John's Cathedral, 1:15 p.m.
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce meeting 5 p.m.

Coming events TOMORROW

Drawing of Jigsaw Puzzle First Prize at HK Soya Bean Products Co., Ltd., new factory at 151, Island Road, Aberdeen, 3:30 p.m.
Nine Dragons Services Club, Tombola, 8 p.m.
Cheero Services Club, Tombola, 7:30 p.m.
Excursion for Forces, St. Andrew's Club, assemble at Kowloon Star Ferry, 2:15 p.m.

SUNDAY

H Classical concert, 50, Macdonald Road, 8:30 p.m.
Armenian Group meeting European YMCA, talk by Mr. McLaughlin, 8:45 p.m.
Nine Dragons Services Club, film show, 8 p.m.
HK Art Club, sketching party at Clearwater Bay Road, members to assemble at Jordan Road, Vehicular Ferry, 10:30 a.m.

MONDAY

Union Jack Club, Tombola, 7:30 p.m.
European YMCA, Whist Drive, 8 p.m.

Visas for Tibetans cancelled

New Delhi, June 7. Visas for the three-member Tibetan delegation to travel to Hong Kong to contact the Chinese Communists [authorities] for "peace talks" were cancelled at the last minute by the British Government, Indian officials said today.

The journal said irregularities existed in the Manlia Government before Mr. Quirino became President, pointing out:

"Mr. Quirino fell heir to a tainted political situation. The Government services were honeycombed with bribery. War surplus property often means self-enrichment. There were scandals connected with cashing Government cheques for veterans' payments and war damage claims."

"The Filipino common man," the editorial concluded, "finds himself caught between the Huk and the Philippine Constabulary. Very likely he is impressed by the contrast between the well-disciplined Huk, who has been taught to demand his tribute courteously, and the Constabulary officer, more often than not rude, brusque, prone to demand graft in return for the normal exercise of his duties." — Associated Press.

Dispute arises over Brunei succession

Singapore, June 8. A dispute arose yesterday over who should succeed the late Sultan of Brunei, Borneo—his 16-year-old daughter Ehsan, or his brother, Oma Ali Salsudin.

The 38-year-old Sultan of the British Protectorate died on Saturday. A council of ministers in Brunei in Northern Borneo immediately named his brother to succeed him.

Mr. Gerard MacBryan, adviser to the late Sultan, sent a message to the King protesting the appointment. He said the late Sultan named the daughter as his successor. Mr. MacBryan stated he has a document, signed and sealed by the Sultan naming Mr. MacBryan the girl's guardian.

The British advisor met with Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, British Commissioner General for South East Asia, regarding the dispute. Afterwards it was announced that Mr. Macdonald would leave by plane soon for Brunei, via Manila. — Reuter.

NATIONALISTS ESCAPE FROM SINKIANG

Calcutta, June 8. Ten Chinese Nationalist soldiers and policemen, who crossed from Sinkiang Province into Kashmir last winter, reached Calcutta today on their way to Taiwan.

In view of the British Government's reported objection to granting them a transit visa for Hong Kong, the men were understood to be flying to Taipei, via Manila.

— United Press.

Japanese and German trade threat to UK

London, June 7. The revival of some forms of cartel or market-sharing arrangements was suggested by a Conservative Member of Parliament, Mr. Reginald Maudling, as a means of meeting the Japanese and German trade threat to British industry.

Writing in the "Daily Telegraph," Mr. Maudling said German and Japanese competition was rapidly increasing.

"Germany has nearly re-established her old predominant position in Turkey. Her prices for machinery are far below anything we can quote at the moment," he said.

He added that Japanese textiles were reappearing in East Africa and Japanese electrical equipment was being sold in increasing volume in Pakistan.

"The main storm has not yet burst, but burst it must," continued Mr. Maudling.

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— United Press.

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Atomic power from gold mine refuse dumps

Montreal, June 7.

The world may one day harness most of its atomic power from gold mine refuse dumps, scientists said today.

They said that if the still secret processes and experiments proved successful, it could mean that wherever gold is found there will develop a side industry with virtually unbounded potential.

Red prisoners signed false confession

Washington, June 7.

The U.S. Navy confirmed today that a Naval Chief Electrician's Mate and a Marine Sergeant signed a false "confession" of spying in order to obtain their release from the Chinese Communists after almost 19 months of imprisonment.

William Smith and Elmer Bender previously had refused to discuss whether they had "confessed" to spying. The Chinese Communists claimed they had when they were released at Tsingtao on May 3.

A Naval Intelligence report made available to the United Press said the two men signed a false "confession" because they were convinced that their freedom depended on it.

The men said they "confessed" to the Chinese that the purpose of their October 19, 1948 flight in a light liaison plane was to make aerial reconnaissance of railroads in the general vicinity North West of Tsingtao where Naval and Marine forces were then stationed.

But the U.S. Navy said that Smith and Bender actually were only on a routine training flight for the sole purpose of permitting Bender to get in some time a pilot. — United Press.

Brighter future for Liberians

Washington, June 7.

President Truman's Point Four programme now approved by Congress may mean a brighter future for 1,500,000 Liberians, whose pay scale ranges to as low as 24 cents a day.

Mr. Menon said their visas for Hong Kong have been issued by the Indian Government acting as agent for the British Government. The visas had now been cancelled on advice of the British Government with whom the final decision still rests.

The Tibetan delegation next asked to meet the British High Commissioner, Sir Archibald

A spokesman for the High Commission's Office said the question of issuing Hong Kong visas was still under consideration in London because of the delicate situation in Hong Kong. — United Press.

Mr. Edward Dudley, U.S. Ambassador to the tiny Negro republic on the African West Coast,

is seeking to line up 100 American technicians to go there as advisers. He returned to Washington yesterday for consultation with the State Department.

Mr. Dudley, who is the United States' only Negro envoy, said American private capital and governmental missions had already set up what amounts to a minature Point Four plan of aid in that underdeveloped area.

The Liberian government, he said, is anxious to expand operations in the health, education, engineering and agricultural fields.

Mr. Dudley estimated private American investments at close to \$70,000,000 and said they included cocoa, mining and rubber interests. The Firestone Company was a pioneer in the field in 1923 with large rubber plantations.

The Liberian Mining Company, backed by Republic Steel, is now building a tiny national railroad, a 49-mile track linking the iron mines with the coastal port of Monrovia.

Monrovia, Mr. Dudley said the U.S. Public Health Mission had reduced malaria incidence in the Liberian coastal belt from 75 per cent to 10 per cent. — United Press.

In the days when the stage coach was the only means of getting from place to place, the "stages" were the journeys from inn to inn.

At each stop driver, postilion and passengers refreshed themselves with beer. Experience had taught them that a draught of good malt liquor was the best means of throwing off the weariness of the last stage and gaining strength for the next.

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Fifteen die in plane disaster

Charleston, South Carolina, June 7.

Thirty-seven survivors of an airliner ditched at sea arrived today aboard a destroyer and reported that 15 of their fellow passengers were killed outright when their plane crashed on Monday night. In all, 27 lives were presumed to have been lost.

The survivors — 34 Puerto Ricans and the three-man American crew — told of a harrowing night spent on three crowded rafts with sharks threatening about them before they were rescued next morning.

"We had about 10 minutes," warned, "it all happened so quickly. We didn't have time to get all the rafts inflated."

The survivors were sober-faced, weary and clad in borrowed clothes. Most of them vowed never to fly again.

Modina described how a member of the destroyer's crew, Boatman's Mate J. B. Taylor, dived in and pulled a Puerto Rican, Pedro Guzman, literally from the jaws of a shark. The shark bit off Guzman's arm and he died later aboard ship.

Taylor explained his heroism simply: "When I saw the shark I passed out a line to him to pull him in, but he didn't have enough strength to hold on. Then went after him myself."

Canadian geologists were not let in on the secret by which their overseas counterparts hope to revolutionise the industry that has already left a refuse tonnage roughly equal to that of 12 great pyramids in Africa alone.

Remote connection

But they already have stated that they knew of some remote connection between gold that makes wedding rings and curvaceous and the power that could make or break nations and annihilate millions in future war.

Ontario Government geologists reported recently that it is conceivable that uranium and other radioactive ores could be found along the entire Precambrian Shield.

The Shield stretches from Yukon, scene of Canada's gold rush in the 1890's, right across Canada into Northern Quebec. Almost everywhere along that line or not far from it gold mines operate to some degree. When they issued their report Ontario officials did not say specifically that there was connection between gold and uranium from which atomic power is derived.

Canadian gold mining experts said, however, they are increasingly interested in how the Witwatersrand experiments made out. Similarly, a close watch is being kept on developments by the Geological Society in Washington which disclosed the operation in a news release and which is not usually given to rash speculation.

Mining sources in Montreal and Toronto said the development of such a project looked like adding another dramatic chapter to the Cinderella stories of the regions, which little more than half a century ago were nothing more than a lonely space. — United Press.

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NOTICE

With reference to our advertisement appearing in this paper on June 6, 1950, we wish to correct the statement that there are telephones in every bedroom of our hotel as stated in that advertisement. We have applied for such telephones but it is not known when they can be provided.

We regret any inconvenience caused by the premature statement in our advertisement.

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U.S. agreement with Vietnam

Saigon, June 7. The United States will shortly present a draft bilateral agreement covering American economic aid to the Governments of Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos, the American Economic Mission to Indo-China said today.

The Mission's chief Mr. Robert Blair, told the Vietnam Preneur, Tran Van Huu, and the French High Commissioner, Mr. Plignon, that the agreement would be subject to existing legal conventions between France and the three kingdoms.

"The final decision of allocations between the three States will be the responsibility of the United States Government," Mr. Blair added.

He said that it would be unwise to decide precise percentages in State allocations.

Economic aid for the year ending June 30, 1951, will be \$23,500,000.—Reuter.

BRITAIN'S WIGHTMAN CUP TENNIS TEAM

London, June 7. The British team announced their Wightman Cup tennis team to meet the United States at Wimbledon on June 10-17.

There were no surprise nominations among the six women selected. The six are Miss Betty Hilton, Miss Tony Moltram, Joan Cleather, Kay Rickey, Miss J. Walker-Smith and one other.

The American team will be Doris Hart, Louise Brough, Mrs. Pat Todd and Mrs. Mary Osborne Dupont.—Associated Press.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

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U.S. and Jap textile threat

New York, June 7. Mr. Robert C. Jackson, Executive Vice President of the American Cotton Manufacturers Institute, says the American textile industry must face the fact that one of the main bulwarks of Japanese economy is textile production and exports.

Mr. Jackson, recently returned from Japan, also believes the problem of Japanese competition with the United States and British producers in world textile markets can only be resolved through reaching a working understanding with Japan. That agreement, he said, must prevent a return of unethical and cut-throat competition that the Japanese practiced before World War two.

The Executive expressed these views to newsmen after studying the marketing problem in Japan, where he headed the American delegation of the Anglo-American Textile Mission.

Hard efforts

Occupation powers, Mr. Jackson said, are striving to restore and stabilize the Japanese economy so as to reduce the cost to United States taxpayers. This year's expense to taxpayers for Japan will amount to about \$220,000,000, Mr. Jackson said.

He added that while in Japan, the Anglo-American Mission discussed frankly with Japanese producers the present price situation in Japanese textiles and the effect of unethical practices, such as were encountered before the war and which disrupted world market.

In many instances, Mr. Jackson said, Japanese goods are selling today at prices well below what they could be sold for and the needless loss must be made up by American taxpayers.

At present Japanese textile industry leaders are new and, Mr. Jackson believes, willing to cooperate. They expressed a determination to improve their pricing system and to maintain a stable price policy. Further, he added, the Japanese are forming a research institute to keep all their textile leaders informed about what is happening in world textile markets.—Associated Press.



Text Becker, in his donkey's costume, strikes a preacher's pose in his home in Hamburg, Germany, painting at hand-drawn posters which propagate his theory of "free bread for all who want it." The left poster, which was banned by the German police, starts: "Beggars are banned by the laws of God, red tape, but robbery and blackmail (taxes) he permits himself. Everybody can defend himself against beggars much more easily than against police, tax officials and balliffs." German-born Becker renounced his former USA citizenship and returned to Germany in 1949 after he was unsuccessful in spreading his doctrine in the USA. (AP Photo).

King Leopold has a busy day

Brussels, June 7. King Leopold's private secretary, M. Willy Weemaes, flew off for Geneva tonight and was followed by road by M. Jacques Preneire, the King's principal secretary.

It is understood that they bring messages from M. Jean Duvieusant, the Belgian Catholic Pre-emptive designate, for the King, whom he is expected to visit again after he has completed his Cabinet.

M. Duvieusant told reporters here that he thought the Government lineup would be completed tomorrow morning, and would number 15 members, including the Premier, as in the outgoing Coalition.

He said: "The new Government's programme will include the tabling of legislation providing for the reorganization of the Regency Law, which keeps King Leopold from the throne."

M. Max Buset, Chairman of the Socialist Party, declared tonight, after talking with M. Duvieusant: "We remain unfriendly hostile to King Leopold's return to the throne."—Reuter.

INDIAN TENNIS PLAYERS WIN

Manchester, June 7. Three Indian players, Sumant Misra, Narendra Nath and Narath Kumar, won their men's singles matches in the Northern Lawn Tennis tournament here today.

Misra, who beat J. P. Pinck of Holland, by 6-4 and 7-5, and Nath, who defeated P. Rosberg, of Sweden, by 6-0 and 6-2, reached the quarter-finals while Kumar, who beat E. P. Molloy, of Australia, by 3-6, 11-9 and 6-4, reached the third round.—Reuter.

They were one stroke ahead of Sam King, Ken Bousfield and Norman Sutton, each with 71.

Hobby Locke, the South African holder of the British Open Championships, returned a card of 73.

The tournament is over 72 holes by strokes. Another round will be played tomorrow and all the players up to the 40th place will contest the final 36 holes on Friday.—Reuter.

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(Dealer: North, East-West vulnerable).

North East South West

1 D Pass 1 H Pass

2 D Pass 2 NT Pass

3 D Pass 3 NT

Four of the greatest masters sat around the table during this tournament deal—John R. Crawford of Philadelphia in the North and the redoubtable Howard Schenken as his partner, with Lee Hazen in the West opposite Richard L. Frey. Mr. Hazen made the clearly marked opening of the 3 of his unbid spades, and both sides saw at once that the fate of the hand was likely to depend on what happened to the dummy's 4-spades after the heart 9 lead?

Tomorrow's Problem.

S 4 H A T 5

D K Q 7 5 3

C A 10 8

S 7 9 8 N H K Q J 10

7 0 H K Q 9 4 2

D A 10 8 D 10 6

C 8 3 2 S A K Q 10 5 3 2

H 3 D B 4 2

C Q J

(Dealer: South, East-West vulnerable).

What should South do to thwart West's trump holding against his 4-spades after the heart 9 lead?

CARNIVAL



By Dick Turner

U.S. aid to non-Red Asia urged

Atlantic City, June 7. A leading businessman today recommended that the United States industrialise all of non-Communist Asia in its struggle with Soviet Russia.

Mr. William E. Knox, President of Westinghouse Electric International Company, advised the United States to supply Asia not only with agricultural tools, but also with complete mills wherever justified.

These industrial plants should be managed, at least initially, by an American company, Mr. Knox said, and he recommended General Douglas MacArthur to be in charge of the overall programme.

"All profits from such enterprises would be turned over to Charities, hospitals or educational institutions in the Asian countries where they are located," Mr. Knox said.

Mr. Knox spoke at the Edison Electric Institute's Annual Convention.—Associated Press.

Yorkshire Evening News golf tourney

Leeds, June 7. The energy-sapping heat of near-tropical conditions had a dire effect on contestants in the first round of the "Yorkshire Evening News" £1,350 golf tournament at Sand Moor, Leeds, today.

Large crowds who hoped to see the stars "burn up" the 6,038-yard Moorland Course went away disappointed.

The leaders at the end of the round were Ken Geddes, a little-known English professional, and Frank Jowle, an English International, each with rounds of 70.

They were one stroke ahead of Sam King, Ken Bousfield and Norman Sutton, each with 71.

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BARGE AY ON BRIDGE

By Shep

TAKE IT ALL IN STRIDE

IF THE average player could kibitz the stars occasionally, he would learn many things from them. It is obvious that he would pick up a lot of useable ideas about bidding and play. But he could also gain some much more fundamental items, regarding his general paces and attitude toward the game. He would see top-players strive in every detail to make their contract—or defeat the opponents' projects—but he would also note that no matter what happens on deal, the un-successful player usually takes 1 in stride and then concentrates on the next deal.

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H J G
D K J 10 9 5 3
C J 8

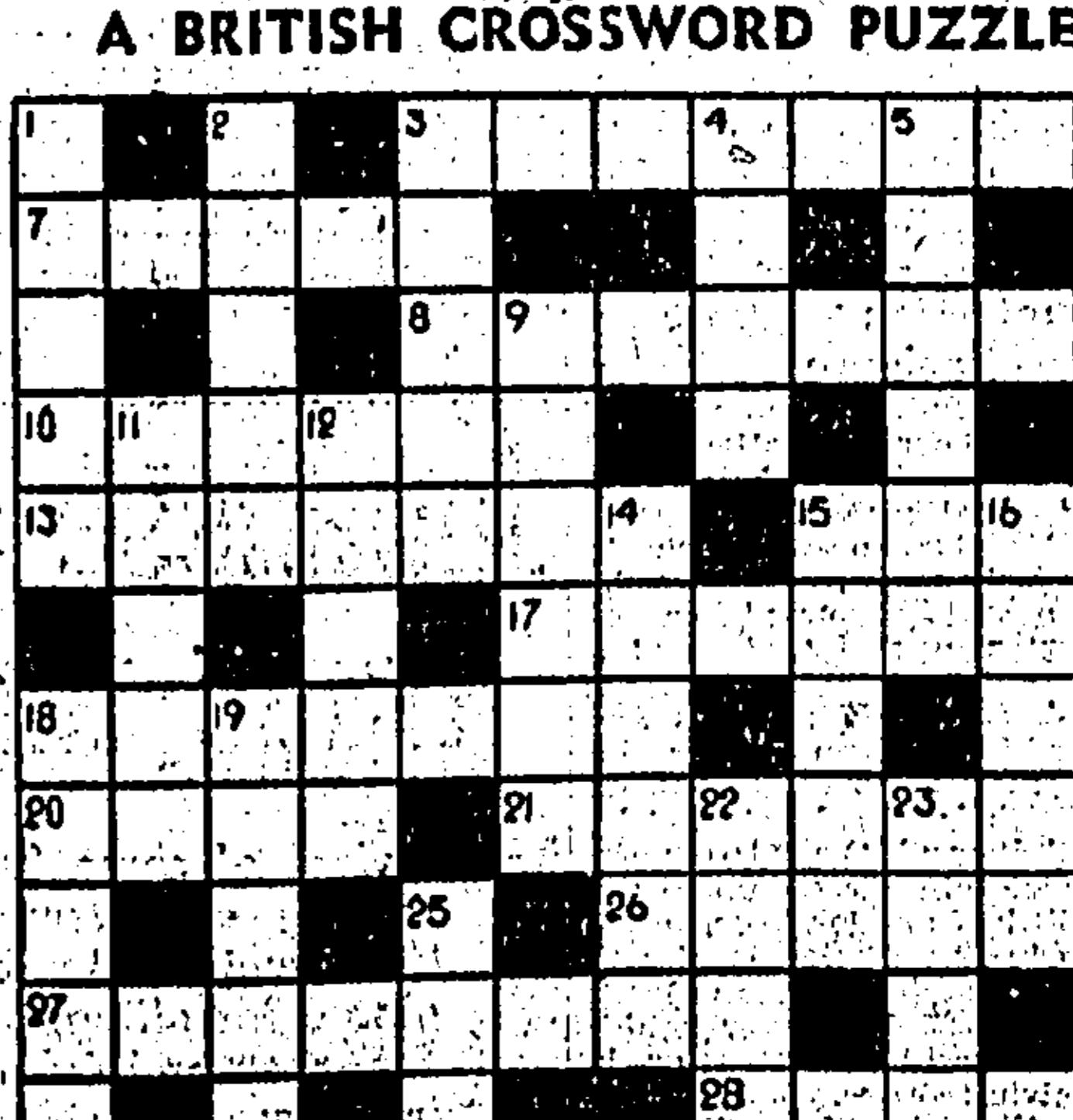
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H 7 3 2 H Q 10 5
D 8 6 4 W E D A 7
2 S C Q 6 5
C K 7 3 S 8 5 4 2
H A K D 8 4
D Q C A 10 9
(Dealer: North, East-West vulnerable).

S 4 H A T 5
D K Q 7 5 3
C A 10 8
S J 9 8 N H K Q J 10
7 0 H K Q 9 4 2
D A 10 8 D 10 6
C 8 3 2 S A K Q 10 5 3 2
H 3 D B 4 2
C Q J

(Dealer: South, East-West vulnerable).

What should South do to thwart West's trump holding against his 4-spades after the heart 9 lead?

A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Yesterday's Crossword

ACROSS: 1 Tatoo, 5 Imbue, 9 Abroad, 10 Panic, 11 Level, 12 Look, 13 Ripon, 14 United, 15 Proliferate, 16 Metallic, 17 Snatched, 18 Hurried, 19 Angled, 20 Chilled, 21 Leered, 22 Thrashed, 23 Skinned, 24 Choked, 25 Part.

DOWN: 1 Reliable, 2 Degrees, 3 Greedy, 4 Golden, 5 Artifical, 6 Talked ex-travagantly, 7 min., 12 sec., more than the beginning of the day, 8 Shavings, 9 Idle, 10 Cleat, 11 Palms off, 12 Artifical, 13 Result, 14 Superficial, 15 Justice, 16 Lustre, 17 Tatoo, 18 Idler, 19 Cleat, 20 Artificial, 21 Result, 22 Justice, 23 Lustre, 24 Superficial, 25 Part.

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CINEMA WORLD

"Madame Bovary coming next to Queen's, Alhambra

Rating: ★ ★

Gustave Flaubert's powerful novel of a petulant French-woman who surrenders all thought of morality in her pursuit of love, "Madame Bovary," is brought to the Queen's and Alhambra screens with many expurgations which nevertheless keep the story vaguely discernible.

Miss Jennifer Jones plays the title role with extraordinary depth and feeling. Mr. Van Heflin is cast opposite her as M. Charles Bovary, the unhappy husband who witnesses his wife's decline into degeneracy across the turbulent tide of a whole generation.

The picture combines the famous trial—in which the author of the book is accused by the Public Prosecutor in Paris of contaminating the minds of decent Frenchmen by publishing a seditious story—with the book itself.

Mr. James Mason appears in two or three scenes as M. Gustave Flaubert, defending his integrity amid the solemn pomposity of the 19th century French court.

This screen version of the celebrated story reduces Madame Bovary's love affairs to three, when in the book her lovers approach at least half a dozen. Many famous episodes are omitted, and the incidents relating to M. Charles Bovary's first marriage are entirely dismissed.

The story is held together by many powerful scenes, although exaggeration is evident in many. In an effort to nullify M. Flaubert's outspokenness, Hollywood has labored to smooth the rough edges of Emma Bovary's personality, so that her willfulness, her incredible perversities are justified on the plea of environmental temptations.

One or two moments in the film achieve exceptional dramatic heights, although they do not occur in the book—like the hateful country wedding of the Bovarys, which so humiliates the young bride that she is carried away from it in virtual hysterics.

For sheer power, the interlude between Miss Jones and Mr. Louis Jourdan—when she goes to him to beg for 15,000 francs and is turned down by the millionaire's icy-cold statement that he does not have it—has seldom been equalled.

Eve Arden heads the featured cast that includes Ray Collins, Frank McHugh and Stanley Ridges.

Dealing with a theme that long has been regarded as "not for the movies," this Hal Wallis production is the absorbing story of two sisters in love with the same man and the lengths to which one goes to win him. Darling in scope, "Paid in Full" provides a rare emotional experience for moviegoers.

One of Hollywood's ablest young leading men, Robert Cummings turns in a fine performance with his portrayal of the man two women desperately want.

The picture marks the second time he has been teamed with Miss Scott, the two having previously appeared in the highly successful "You Come Along."

Both Miss Scott and Diana Lynn are welcome additions to any cast. As the intense rivals for Cummings' affections in "Paid in Full," they give fine performances of their respective careers.

"Paid in Full," based on a Reader's Digest story by Dr. Frederic Loonis, was directed by William Dickey.

RATINGS

The "China Mail" is using the following classifications to indicate to readers the quality of films reviewed:

★★★ Excellent

★★ Above average

★ Average

Below average



Humphrey Bogart and friends
The Four "B's"

Humphrey Bogart stars in thriller

Rating: ★ ★

Columbia's "Tokyo Joe," which is now at the Roxy and Broadway Theatres, is a very good action picture that abounds in realism seldom seen in Hollywood pictures.

Starring filmland's latest bad-boy-turned-good boy, Humphrey Bogart, "Tokyo Joe" mixes the essential ingredients of a good movie—suspense, action, romance and realism—in just the right proportions. The audience will enjoy every moment of it, and Bogart fans will be pleased with the performance handed in by their idol.

Set against the actual backgrounds of Tokyo's post-war streets, the film deals with the attempts of a certain Baron Kimura (well played by Sessue Hayakawa) to resurrect the notorious Black Dragon Society in an attempt to overthrow the American military occupation.

This aspect of the film, however, is not its main theme. It is merely incidental to Bogart's attempt to pick up the threads before he left behind in Japan before Pearl Harbour, his try to retrieve something which can never be his again, and his gallant stand against the machinations of the wily Kimura.

"Tokyo Joe" gives Bogart an excellent opportunity to show off his inherent talents. Because he acts his role with natural casualness, he succeeds in lending it an atmosphere which he could never attain as the gangster.

The film maintains a fast tempo throughout, and Bogart is ably supported by Alexander Knox, his friendly rival for the affections of the French actress, Miss Florence Marley, Sessue Hayakawa, Jerome Courtland, and a host of Japanese recruited in their homeland for the film.

All in all, "Tokyo Joe" is enjoyable entertainment and should not be missed.

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FUTURE OF FRESH MILK

The Chairman of the Dairy Farm Company, and other spokesmen for the share-holders, the mothers and the babies, expressed themselves quite clearly at the annual meeting of the Company on the Government's refusal to renew the leases of the farm at Pokfulam. It is rare indeed for so important a business concern to be treated to that most cavalier of all processes—eviction from premises they have held for so long and to such good purpose.

Indignation was never too vehement, however. In this hard world we do try and take the rough with the smooth, and facts and figures created so soft and mellow a setting of well-being that the one great grievance had to be ventilated in a somewhat unfavourable atmosphere. It was almost like assailing the weather on a lovely day in spring. Moreover, milk as a subject of controversy is definitely unpromising unless there is an epidemic. Now if it had been a matter of eviction from the cricket ground, the welkin would be ringing for weeks and months, as it did in South Africa in wartime when a sacrilegious Government decided to take over the famous Wanderer's ground, with all its memories of test matches and historic deeds, in order to extend the frightful Johannesburg railway station.

Much the same would have happened, no doubt, had a brewery and not a highly-mechanised milk farm been at issue. Everybody will agree that actually Hong Kong's principal source of milk production is infinitely more vital and important than either of the two categories already mentioned. The trouble, as with Hamlet, lies in milk itself; for its normal associations are as pallid as its colour, though the uninstructed would be surprised to see how many strong men delight in this liquid at light luncheon in one of the most august of our social institutions.

Indeed, as the Chairman emphasised, milk is a "must" irrespective of the Company's interest, but it would cost ten million dollars to re-establish the herd of nearly 1,500 animals with all the necessary buildings and accommodation, on either of the two alternative sites in the New Territories, offered by a Government which, in this case, takes with one hand but offers with the other. Greeks and Governments alike must be regarded warily when they come bearing gifts, if the offers can so be regarded. Indeed, there was more than a faint suggestion that the Government cherishes heretical notions—that milk in other forms is just as good as milk that comes from the cow. Powerful quotations from the greatest dietetic experts and even the Government itself, in the United Kingdom should put that right.

It was pointed out that the operation of the farm does not of itself yield great profit, and that if the Company is forced out of Pokfulam it would have seriously to consider giving up this branch of its business. The decision would not be an easy one, for the Company supplies 80 per cent of the Colony's fresh milk requirements. These would have to be met somehow, and the fair warning given the Government, and the public, awakens the shattering fear that Government itself may

London and Asia

The Sydney conference caused the London weekly papers recently to say their fill about Asian affairs. The views they took are worth studying.

The mildest discussion was in the "Economist". It said that South East Asia as a whole is waiting to see what way the cat is going to jump. The eyes of the politicians are fixed on China and the West. Even the ordinary people are more alive than ever before to what was going on around them.

There are, however, exceptions to this wait-and-see attitude. Three men have made bold decisions to commit themselves against the Communist Juggernaut. They are Bo Dal, Phibul Songram and Mohammed Hatta. None of them was bound to adopt the line he has taken; all are abused by Moscow as running dogs of Wall Street. And, on the spot, no one feels that the West has yet given any compelling proof of either its power or determination to preserve the framework on which these men are building their future.

South East Asia is a young man's world. Nearly all political leaders are young men in their thirties and forties. Two forces inspire them—nationalism and the desire for radical economic revolution, ending Asia's age-old poverty.

"The creed of Communism could not be presented at a moment more promising of success." One reason is the political inexperience of the new leaders who must combat it. Another is the ferment of new ideas and ideals. Another is the shaking and discrediting which all established institutions have undergone. Nationalism is such an explosive force that it threatens to blow up all the new national states which have risen on the ruins of the old imperialism. If the explosion takes place, the only result can be Communism.

"At the same time, it is the duty of Britain to urge a course on France which would turn the bogus independence of the Viet-nam Government into genuine self-government. France must stop repressing nationalist forces and thus bedeviling the whole of the West's policy in South East Asia."

Is London yet really alive to the dangers in the East? Is there any determination to oppose them? A good test will be to see whether the weekly papers lose all interest now Sydney is over, and only regain it when the subsequent conference to be held in London is in the offing.

Heads of British firms operating in India say that it is becoming increasingly difficult to persuade young men to come out to India.

"Malaya is now the one example of a South East Asian country equipped with an administration up to Western standards, relatively powerful and efficient military forces and with a long purse. But in the Chinese side-streets of its towns, and in the Malay and Indian settlements on the rubber estates, there is less and less feeling of any certainty about the country's destiny."

After this there is a touch of cynicism in the "Economist's" remark. "To counteract all this will need both a military and an economic programme, put across with skilful publicity and at least a touch of glamour." But at least the "Economist" is the first paper to begin to discuss actual figures of the projects which may emerge from the Commonwealth conferences.

"The total cost of establishing economic stability in South East Asia during the next period is likely to be put at £6,000 million. Estimates of this kind are naturally open to question; but capital requirements for projects considered and recommended add up to more than £4,000 million."

Left-wing opinion

The "Economist" is the paper of the middle-of-the-road. Its article reflects middle-of-the-

have to go into this business if it insists on the transfer of the farm from Pokfulam to the New Territories. Government next door has been taking over so much in the way of industry, trade, and distribution that such a prospect presents itself as the potential thin end of the wedge.

Milk, fresh milk, there must be—all are agreed on this. The further representations the Company is to make to the Government may perhaps yield some sort of compromise. There is something to be said for the argument that Hong Kong's population has about reached the maximum, and that the curve will soon go downward. The New Economic Policy just decided on at Peking may facilitate this. But be that as it may there will be many a sentimentalists who, gliding ethereally above the mathematics of the issue and the basic necessities of the population, would bemoan such a break with history and the fair warning given in this instance particularly, with nostalgic memories, as the removal of the farm at Pokfulam would represent.

The housing situation is bad. In Delhi and Bombay it is practically impossible to get anywhere to live other than in a hotel, and this is not always easy. Most big firms have their own bungalows. In Britain you would call the bungalows "mansions". Those firms who do not supply such accommodation usually arrange to pay half their employees' hotel bills.

For a husband and wife living in a hotel in Delhi or Bombay it costs about £1,000 a year,

including all food. As the firm to eat less.

road, opinion about South East Asia. What does the left-wing say?

Here is the "Tribune" on Indo-China: "Dear Achsen has sent aid. The fact of that aid has worsened the situation in South East Asia... The fact in that practical measures against encroaching Communism have outweighed the knowledge that the aid is being given a bogus government. The desire is that

The "New Statesman" argues much the same. "In the attempt of the Western powers to save South East Asia from Communism, there is a curious air of irresolution and futility. Indeed nothing effective is likely to be done until political recognition is given to the strength of nationalist movements both in Indo-China and Malaya."

Stalin's statements

Here finally is the Catholic weekly, the "Tablet". This has unearthed a number of statements by Stalin a quarter of a century ago on the importance of Asia in the world revolution.

For example, 1923 Stalin said: "Two things are possible: either we succeed in stirring up and revolutionising the far imperialist—the colonial and semi-colonial countries of the East—and thereby hasten the fall of capitalism, or we must fight, and thereby strengthen imperialism and weaken the force of our movement. That is how the question stands." And so perhaps in the world of Stalin is still stands.

The "Tablet" concludes with some very true observations on the Sydney conference. "The Western world is still much too much on the defensive. The attitude expressed at Sydney was defensive, that of men anxious to explain hastily that they would lose no time in raising native standards. But they will condemn themselves if they use language which suggests that they could have raised these standards quite easily in the past but lacked the philanthropic will to do so."

Is London yet really alive to the dangers in the East? Is there any determination to oppose them? A good test will be to see whether the weekly papers lose all interest now Sydney is over, and only regain it when the subsequent conference to be held in London is in the offing.

There are jobs a-begging in India

By Alwyn Tebbitt

Heads of British firms operating in India say that it is becoming increasingly difficult to persuade young men to come out to India.

pays half, this amount is reduced to £750, which is reasonable on a salary of £2,000.

Social life

Social life for Europeans in the large Indian cities is still on a fairly high level. There are about 10,000 Europeans in Bombay and the same number in Calcutta, while Delhi and Madras have about 1,000 each. Firms run social clubs which provide facilities for all sorts of sports and dancing. In Bombay and Calcutta cinemas show all the latest British and American films.

Prohibition has no effect on foreigners.

The working week is about 30 hours, and there are 27 public holidays besides Saturdays and Sundays. Most firms give a month's local leave each year, and six months home leave with full pay every two-and-a-half years.

Nor does the education of children present any great problem for Europeans. There are excellent schools up in hill stations, and the term lasts for nine months. Servants are plentiful, and the periodical riots and disturbances in Calcutta and elsewhere do not affect Europeans unless they interfere.

Despite all this, it is difficult to get sufficient Europeans to come out here to maintain the close industrial and commercial links between Britain and India.

Police are too efficient

A crime wave is worrying the police in Tokyo—not because there are too many criminals but because too many of them are being caught.

In the past fortnight, writes Richard Hughes, over 3,000 gangsters have been arrested, with the result that the city's detention cells are now overcrowded—10 gangsters in a cell built for two. Dr. Kenichi Matsui of the Japanese Attorney General's office, points out despairingly that there are now over 100,000 prisoners in Tokyo, it is obviously time for the police to exercise a little discretion as well as zeal in tackling the crime wave.

Nor is the problem of accommodating the gangsters the only one worrying the police. There is also the problem of how to feed them. At present, the bill for "Prisoners' Food" amounts to over £250 a day, and the police authorities have been compelled to ask the Government for a special grant. If the grant is not given then the only alternative will be that the prisoners—over 100,000 of them—will have

Tito's road is almost ready

By Eric Bourne

I have just driven almost but not quite all of the way along Tito's famous 'Brotherhood and Unity' highway which will shortly link Belgrade with Zagreb and bring the Yugoslav capital within an easy day's motor ride of Trieste and the West.

The Cominform blockade made things worse. The Russians cut off supplies of rails from the Soviet Zone of Austria. It put the Yugoslavs back two months.

Then the Czechs stopped delivery of quarrying equipment and building material, while Russia's other satellites defaulted on orders for spares for crushing machinery, locomotives and electrical plant required to keep work going through the night.

Officials say that the blockade delayed work by six months while Yugoslav workshops were switched over to make up these deficiencies.

Symbol of grit

The road itself stretched like a ribbon, straight and true, across the Croatian plain. Military experts shook their heads because it runs North of the Sava instead of behind the river's broad, left stream. They recall how Allied aircraft landed on Hitler's autobahns in the war. But as the Yugoslavs point out, when the road was laid down they had mud and water up to their borders.

Other critics say the cost of labour has been too high, that it would have been better and cheaper to have restored existing highways.

But whatever the merits of these arguments, the fact now is that the Autoput is about to be finished—and it is an impressive symbol for the Yugoslavs of their grit and ability to see a job through for themselves. We should at least give them a big bouquet for that.

Holiday slogan for Americans

"The World's the Limit"—a new American holiday slogan may mean fewer American visitors to Europe this year.

Reporting from New York Rodney Campbell explains that American travel agencies have decided that Britain, France and other near European countries are becoming far too "ordinary" holiday centres. Americans, they say, want to travel further afield—to such places as the Middle East, Eastern Europe and the Eastern Mediterranean and even India and Pakistan. Travel in Europe, they add, is now so firmly established as an American middle-income holiday that to get away from their fellow-countrymen, Americans have now to travel to the Vale of Kashmir or the East African hunting grounds.

Conveniently, the air-lines back the new-style holiday planners. After returning from a 25,000-mile tour of the East recently, the sales manager of Trans-World air-lines stated that he had seen "exotic and wonderful" places that he was sure Americans would visit in their thousands. Next winter major sales and promotional efforts will induce the great majority are really willing volunteers.

Almost literally, these youngsters have built the road with their bare hands. The engineers have never had more than about 300 pieces of road-making machinery—including one or two concrete layers, a few grader and steam-rollers—and smaller equipment.

I have seen them many times in the last two years—these wily teen-aged boys and toughened girls, with their sun-tanned faces devoid of make-up, working in stained overalls with pick, shovel and wheel-barrow, forming human chains to move materials along "wading waist-deep" in mud and water on the construction of canals and outlets for floodwater, or their eight hours shift over, playing games near the huts in which they live alongside their work.

Speaking to them you find that the great majority are really willing volunteers.

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ACHESON'S WARNING TO SOVIET UNION

Free world cannot wait for change of policies

UNITED NATIONS CRISIS

Washington, June 7.

The United States Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, said today that the free nations of the world could not afford to wait for a change in present Soviet policies but must carry forward immediately the increasing of their strength. He was addressing a Press conference.

Churchill's optimistic outlook

London, June 7.

Mr. Winston Churchill told 10,000 women Conservatives in London today that "this blot of our having the only Socialist Government in the English-speaking world will soon be erased" and expanded."

The Conservative leader was speaking at the Albert Hall.

He said the outstanding fact established at the February General Election was that the British people did not want socialism. "The less they have of it the more they will be pleased," he declared.

"The more they have of it the more they will be obstructed and the more their recovery will be delayed."

The Election had shown that "the hand or clique of agitators or semi-professional agitators and them" who have tried to profit by the inevitable trials of daily life in order to rive their rigid and obsolete system of nationalisation of the means of production, distribution and exchange on this country, had been definitely rebuked and rebuffed by the vote of the nation," Mr. Churchill declared.

Mr. Churchill attacked the Government's handling of petrol rationing. It was ended at Whitsun but it could easily have been done long before," he said.

In an attack on "evil" controls, Mr. Churchill said that the Conservatives would propose that the act governing them "shall be renewed only on a year-to-year basis." —Reuter.

Nehru speaks to Jakarta Parliament

Jakarta, June 7.

The Indian Prime Minister, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, told the Indonesian Parliament here today that Asia's struggle to throw off colonialism was one of "the events of this age of ours."

The Indian Premier, who had been cheered as he drove through Jakarta earlier today to begin a 10-day visit to Indonesia, ended his address to the Indonesian Parliament with the Indonesian revolutionary cry, "Merdeka"—"Freedom".

He made his 15-minute speech in English.

Pandit Nehru regretted that Asia unfortunately would be unable to have a long period free from conflict to consolidate the fruits of political freedom.

"Indeed Asia today is becoming perhaps the most important centre of various forces at play and in conflict," he said.

"Much for Asia and the world will depend on the interaction of these forces."

"There has been a tendency in the past to ignore Asia as the outer fringes of the world. This is no longer the fact. If people do not yet realise that they will realise it soon enough."

Cheering crowds, estimated at 50,000, greeted Mr. Nehru when, accompanied by President Soekarno, he had driven through the city earlier after landing from the Indian naval cruiser Delhi.

Police carrying machine-guns lined every 100 yards along the six-mile route from the quayside to "Freedom" Palace in the heart of the city to address Parliament.

Mr. Nehru and President Soekarno, riding in an open

The United States, he said, was opposed to any rearment of Western Germany as a means of bolstering the security of the West. Mr. Acheson denounced the attitude of the Soviet delegation in the United Nations to discuss the question of Chinese representation, and the refusal of the Soviet Union to accept decisions taken by majorities in various organs of the United Nations.

"Their refusal constitutes a basis on which lasting agreement with the Soviet Government is possible," he added.

Mr. Acheson said that this was the road to peace which the United States was following. He emphasised that this road did not lead away from negotiation, but to the kind of negotiation which might prove fruitful.

Mr. Acheson issued a review of the report from Mr. Trygve Lie, United Nations Secretary-General, on his (Mr. Lie's) recent visit to Moscow.

Mr. Acheson did not specifically turn down Mr. Lie's 10-point programme for ending the cold war, but took a negative attitude towards the proposals.

Referring to Mr. Lie's arguments re-opening negotiations on outstanding issues was possible, Mr. Acheson said, "There is no magic which can produce with the waving of a wand the sudden removal of the tensions that now exists."

Hard task

"The free nations of the world have a hard task ahead of them as long as the Soviet Government continues its present policy," Mr. Acheson said. "We cannot afford to wait and merely hope that the policies will change. We must carry forward in our own determination to create situations of strength in the free world, because this is the only

Russia is snag in Austria

Washington, June 7. The Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, said today that it was obvious from recent Soviet manoeuvres at the four-power Austrian treaty talks that the Soviet Government did not wish to conclude an Austrian treaty at this time.

After welcoming to his weekly press conference a group of Australian journalists now touring the United States, Mr. Acheson took the opportunity to sum up the treaty question.

He said that at the last meeting of the deputies in London on May 20 the Soviet deputy had continued his delaying tactics by again raising extraneous issues.

Mr. Acheson said: "The Soviet deputy took the position that no date could be set for the next meeting until the Soviet Government had received a reply to its note of April 30 concerning Trieste."

"The meeting adjourned with an announcement by the Western deputies that they would present themselves in London on July 7, prepared to resume the treaty discussions. The Soviet deputy did not commit himself as to attendance at this meeting."

Mr. Acheson said the inference was obvious that Russia does not wish to conclude an Austrian treaty at this time. "The position of this Government is that there is no connection between the Soviet note on Trieste—which will be handled in due course—and the Austrian treaty negotiations."

"Any attempt to link these two issues is pure subterfuge."

He said the three Western Governments wished to settle, without delay, all outstanding issues of the treaty.—Reuter.

Lie's plan criticised by Tsiang

Lake success, June 7. Nationalist China's Chief Delegate to the United Nations and the fact that the United States would accept the decision of any organ of the Organisation made by the necessary majority, Mr. Acheson added: "We do not think that the veto applies in the Security Council, and as I have frequently stated we believe that each nation must decide for itself how it is going to vote on the question and we are not going to try to influence them."

Mr. T. F. Tsiang declared Mr. Lie's programme "starts by doing a wrong to free China."

Dr. Tsiang's reaction came as

the Secretary of State Mr. Dean Acheson, told a Washington news conference there is no magic for

ending the cold war and that the Western powers cannot afford to wait for the Russians to change their policies in the United Nations.

Mr. Lie made no public comment on these two jolts at his programme to save the UN, but his aides made it clear that he was pushing as hard as he could for his 10 point programme. He is appealing to all UN members for support.

Mr. Lie told the UN members in effect that unless Red China is seated in the organisation and the Russians come back to UN meetings, there can be no progress toward world peace.

"It (the programme) encourages Communists not only in China but in Indo-China, Malaya, the Philippines, and other Asian countries and discourages all those who are resisting Communism," Dr. Tsiang said.

"After all—the damage is done the 10 points on Mr. Lie's programme, such as control of atomic energy and disarmament, will remain as problematical as ever. The net result of his efforts would be the spread of Communism in Asia, thereby making the world situation even more critical than it is."

"There is absolutely nothing constructive in the programme,"—Associated Press.

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Seven new peerages created in King's Honours List

London, June 7. Seven new peerages are created in the King's Birthday Honours List published today.

Among the new Barons is 56-year-old Lieutenant-Colonel Harry Morris, whose resignation from his Parliamentary seat at Sheffield enabled the Government to find a constituency for the Solicitor-General, Sir Frank Sosicé, who was defeated at the February General Elections.

Baronies are also awarded to Mr. Lewis Silkin, former Minister of Town and Country Planning, and Lieutenant-Colonel David Roos-Williams, former Colonial Under-Secretary.

The other Barons are Mr. Ernest Greenhill, member of the Glasgow Corporation, 60-year-old Sir Gilbert Campion, who was Clerk to the House of Commons for 11 years and who was last year appointed First Clerk of the Council of Europe's Consultative Assembly, Sir Cyril Hurcom, Chairman of the British Transport Commission, and Mr. Ernest Walter Hives, Managing Director of the famous Rolls-Royce automobile firm.

A Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George—Sir Arthur Espele Parrot, Chairman of the Empire Games Federation and Surgeon to the King.

A Knight Bachelorhood goes to Mr. George Leigh-Jones, Managing Director of the Shell Oil Transport and Trading Company.

Three notable women made

Empire Dame Commanders are the Hon. Frances Farrel, General Secretary of the National Federation of Women's Institutes, Mrs. G. T. Kilmains, 80-year-old mother of the playwright Anthony Kilmains and founder of the Herlager Craft Schools and Hospitals for crippled children, and Miss Marjorie Cox, Deputy Secretary of the Ministry of Pensions.

In addition, there are 29 baronetcies, 12 Dominon knightships, five knighthoods in the Colonies.

Among them is Arthur Paul Bentall, a member of the British business community in India, formerly President of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of India.

Ballet to racing

Honours also go to personalities identified with all fields of activities—from ballet to brass bands, from radio to motor racing.

Frederick Ashton, principal choreographer of Sadlers Wells Ballet, is made a Commander of the Order of the British Empire and Mr. Harry Mortimer, adjudicator of the National Band Festival an Officer of the Order.

Mr. Philip Jordan, Public Relations Adviser to the Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, is made a Commander (CBE).

The 96-year-old actor George Wilson is made a Member of the Order of the British Empire.

Twins have been made Companions of the Order of the Bath. They are Acting Air-Vice Marshals David and Richard Atchley, who have scarcely ever been separated and at 46 remain bachelors.—Reuter.

Arts and letters

Recognition of arts and letters is signified by a knighthood for the composer Dr. Arthur Bliss, who wrote the music for H. G. Wells' film "Things To Come." With J. B. Priestley, Bliss wrote the opera "Olympians," produced last year at London's Covent Garden.

A Privy Councillorship is conferred on Lord Henderson, Labour Peer, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

The poet Cecil Day Lewis, who writes detective fiction as "Nicholas Blake," becomes a Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE).

Other well-known names included in the List are as follows:

Knight Commanders of the Order of the Bath (KCB)—Vice-Admiral Mervyn Denby, Third Sea Lord; General Sir Ivor Thomas who commanded the 43rd Wessex Division during the action on the Seine in World War II.—Reuter.

Tel Aviv, June 7. Brigadier General Yigal Yadin, Israel's Chief of Staff, today reviewed an armoured brigade "somewhere in the South."

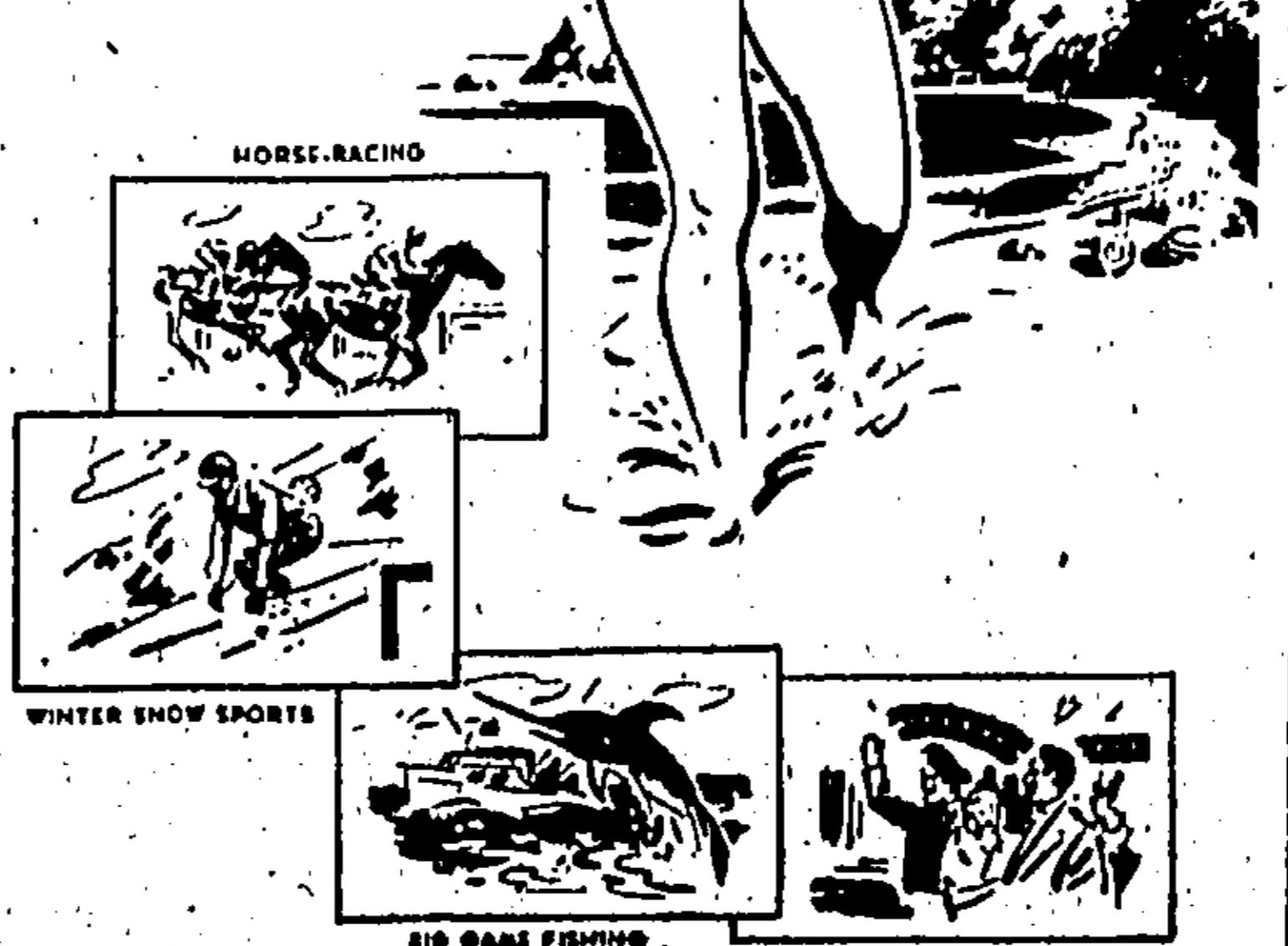
Later he said: "Only if we are strong will armistice agreements be respected. If we grow stronger, we shall win the peace."

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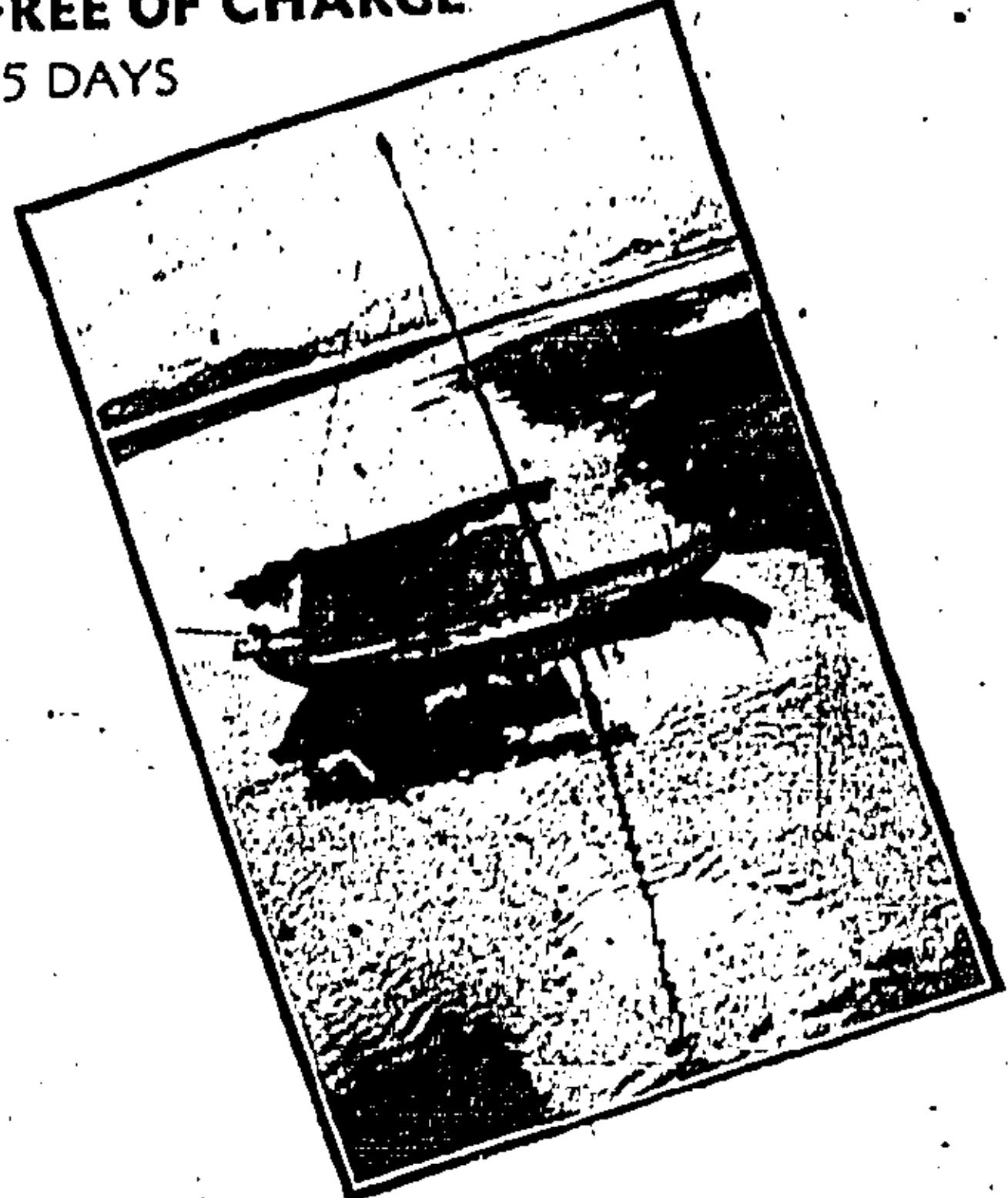
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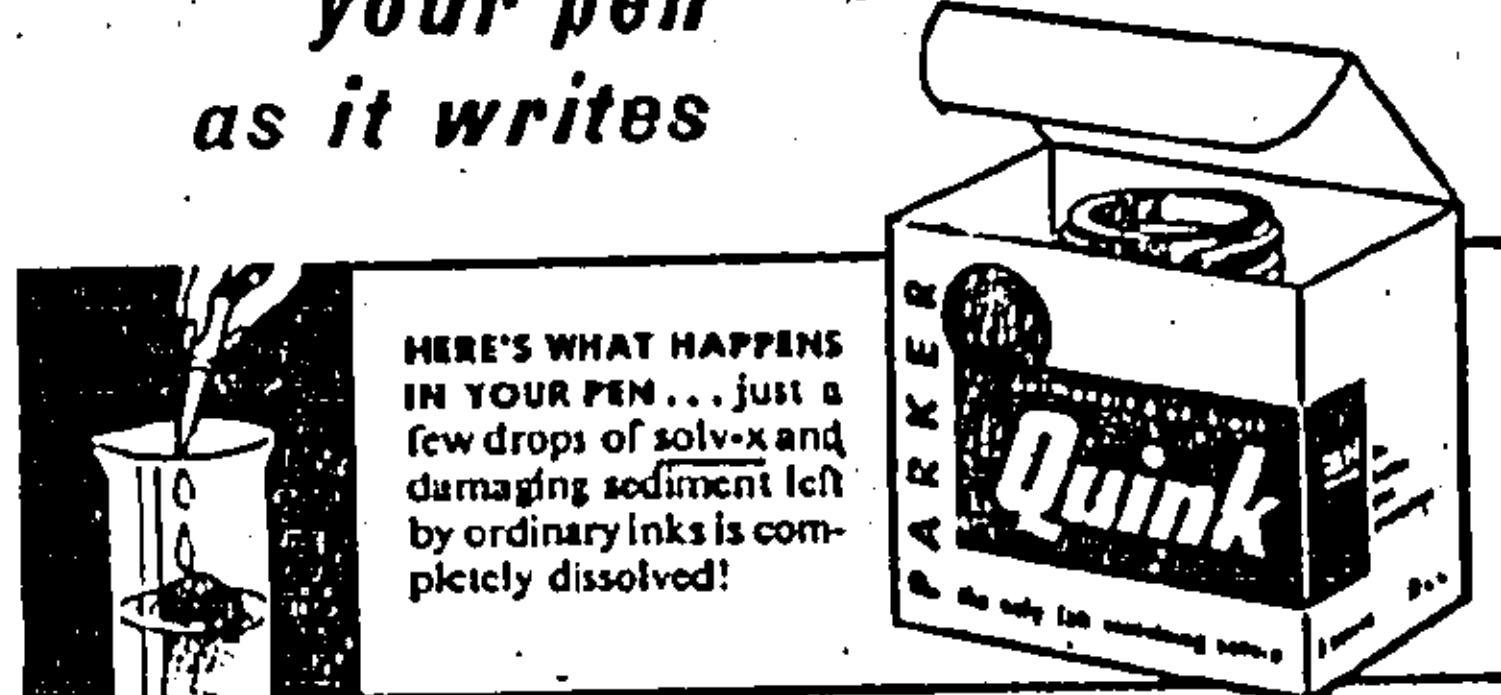
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Excellent progress

Boston, June 7.
The Prime Minister of Pakistan, Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan, and the Begum, are both reported today to be making "excellent progress" following operations earlier this week in the New England Baptist Hospital.

The Prime Minister underwent a gall operation yesterday, the day after the Begum had a gall bladder operation.

A bulletin issued today by Dr. Frank M. Lahey said, "The Prime Minister of Pakistan, Liaquat Ali Khan, is making excellent progress, after his operation. The Begum, who was operated upon a day earlier, on June 5, is also making excellent progress."

Dr. Lahey said that he had received a telegram from Mr. Mackenzie King, former Prime Minister of Canada, inquiring about the Prime Minister and the Begum and declaring, "My thoughts are with them both." — Reuter.

Reforms

The recent official revival of the Vietnamese Communist party under its own name, they thought, was to enable the Communists to apply a series of reforms and measures intended to give them complete control of the Vietminh movement.

Recent developments reported by Vietminh Radio-agrarian reform, judicial reform, setting up of a new wage system and the creation of a Vietnam-Soviet Friendship Association-supported this view.

The question now arises how the Nationalists within the Vietminh ranks side by side with the Communists will react to these developments. Many observers thought that any attempt by the Nationalists to split with the Communists would be stilled immediately by the strong Communist-directed Vietminh police.

On the other hand, all Franco-Vietnamese newspapers today gave prominence to a report from London that on orders from Moscow or Peking Dr. Ho had been demoted to a lesser position in the Communist-dominated Vietnamese Government.

The London report, based on earlier messages from Saigon, suggested that despite Dr. Ho's position, the Vietminh was now completely under Communist control following the arrival of the Moscow-trained leader, Truong Chinh.

Inducements

Today's report from London said that Dr. Ho's alleged demotion should induce the Nationalist elements in the Vietminh movement to rally to Bao Dai's regime.

Saigon, June 7.
French and Vietnam sources said here today that they believed the Moscow-trained Indo-Chinese insurgent leader, Dr. Ho Chi Minh, had been promoted and might become the Communist leader for all South East Asia.

Dr. Ho leads the Indo-Chinese insurgent forces seeking, under the name of Vietminh, to wrest power from the French-backed forces of ex-Emperor Bao Dai in Vietnam, the Indo-Chinese republic in the French Union.

Suggestions have been made that Dr. Ho was sidestepped because of "deviationism" in a "severe purge" of the Vietnamese Communist Party and the Vietminh Government.

But both Vietnamese official and usually well-informed French political sources here today discounted this.

French sources believed that Dr. Ho would be replaced in Vietnam by another Communist, either Phan Van Dong, the Vice-Premier in the Vietnamese Government, or by Tryong Chinh, who succeeded Dr. Ho as Secretary-General of the Vietnamese Communist Party.

Believing he was destined for appointment by Moscow as the Communist leader for all South East Asia, the French sources said this position would correspond to that of Mr. Mao Tse-tung as leader in China.

Vietnamese official sources agreed with this view. Some observers here thought the present international situation was compelling the Communists to strengthen their position in Vietnam.

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He was asked if he feared the programme might encourage Russia to aggression before the Atlantic Treaty nations had attained reasonable security.

"I do not think it adds to the peril of the situation," he answered. "I think it materially reduces it."

He said that the United States could not afford to be inactive in the present situation. Asked if there were any possibility of reconciliation between Russia and the free world, Mr. Marshall said that he felt there was a greater responsibility when Russia found herself up against an implacable determination on the part of the free world not to submit.

Mr. Marshall said it would be "playing into Soviet hands" for the United States to arm to the teeth at home while remaining on the sidelines. In Western Europe, to leave Europe militarily impotent was psychologically and militarily wrong.

He estimated it would cost the United States more than \$50,000 million a year to arm to the teeth and it would endanger the national economy.—Reuter.

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EX-MP INVOLVED IN COURT CASE

London, June 7.
Mr. Phillip Piratin, former Communist Member of Parliament, admitted accusing the London Police of protecting East End Fascists, his Counsel told a Court hearing a slander action against him today.

Chief Superintendent Charles Frederick Satherwhite, of the Metropolitan Police, is suing Mr. Piratin for damages for slander he claimed the former Member of Parliament uttered at street corner political meetings last October.

In cross-examination, Mr. Piratin told the Court today that he thought there was discrimination between the Fascists and their opponents.

Asked if he thought any high police officer responsible for that policy was an enemy of the people, Mr. Piratin replied that it was the people who operated the policy, and the Government, particularly the Home Secretary, who were acting against the workers' interests, not any particular officer.—Reuter.



This picture shows United Nations Secretary General Trygve Lie (second from right) addressing a Press conference in Moscow. The purpose of the conference was to enable Mr. Lie to report on his conversations with Stalin, held in the Kremlin earlier.—(AP Photo).

Indian becomes head of world labour body

Genoa, June 7.

The Indian Labour Minister, Jagjivan Ram, today became President of the International Labour Organisation.

Proposed by Sir Guildhaume Myrdin-Evans, British Government delegate, and seconded by the United States, he was elected unanimously for the current year, at the ILO's 33rd Labour conference here.

During the election Poland dedicated his life to the uplift of the down-trodden, believing that this and not modern weapons of warfare would pave the way to real world peace.

One factor

"One factor, the solution of which is indispensable to world peace, is the poverty, disease and miserable conditions in which the vast majority of the people of the world are still living."

"The International Labour Organisation is non-political and its mission is humanitarian, but it is this Organisation which has and will continue to tackle this problem."

Mr. Ram declared, "Any misdistribution by which some countries starve while others have surpluses to throw away is not a healthy sign and may well be an obstacle to any possible world prosperity."

In his address to the 350 delegates and advisers from more than 50 nations, Mr. Ram said if this is done with determination, reconciliation of relatively minor points of difference will not present any insuperable difficulty.

"Different speakers may have different patterns of economic structures in view in regard to the ultimate social setup but the objectives of all of us can be only one, the happiness of those who work and toil."

Mr. Ram appreciated the increasing interest shown for the Asian countries in the Labour Organisation, adding that the under-developed countries of Asia bear the largest proportion of the world's population."

Nerve centre

"We cannot expect the International Labour Organisation which is more a nerve centre to take direct responsibility for eradicating the poverty and social conditions prevalent in these countries."

"But it must be recognized fairly and squarely that so long as these conditions are not improved upon, we cannot claim that we have done our job," Mr. Ram continued.

"I am grateful for the various measures undertaken to make good the leeway, I may say however, without being unduly critical, that more intensification of these measures is needed."

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Anti-Semitism flourishes again in Germany as cemeteries desecrated

No talks on Cyprus planned

Paris, June 7.
The Greek Prime Minister, General Nicholas Plastiras, will not discuss a solution of the Cyprus question with British officials during his current visit to Western Europe.

General Plastiras told Reuter today that he did not intend to contact British Government representatives on this matter at this stage.

"The Hellenic Government feels deep emotion at the presence in Athens of a national Cypriot delegation," he said. "The delegation brought a message from the island to Greece for union with the Mother-land, he revealed."

"Within the framework of traditional Anglo-Greek friendship which we want to sustain, and in conformity with the well-known liberal traditions of a great Democracy, we hope to satisfy the pro-Hellenic aspirations with a union tightening the links and serving the common interests of the two countries," he added.

On Greek-Yugoslav relations, General Plastiras said: "I consider the return to normal diplomatic relations between Greece and Yugoslavia a positive contribution to peace in the Balkans and, considering that peace is indivisible, a positive contribution to general peace and security."

On Greek-Turkish relations, General Plastiras said: "Greece, sincerely wanting to live in peace with all her neighbours, has maintained excellent relations with Turkey for many years."

"I hope these relations will become even closer in the near future, notably in the economic field."

Refugee children

On the return of Greek refugee children, he said: "The Greek Government insists, in line with the decisions of the United Nations, on the immediate and unconditional return of Greek children torn from their homes."

On a Mediterranean Pact, General Plastiras said: "We favour every measure aimed at strengthening national security and completing the present system of defensive collaboration."

"I wish to point out that Greece is not thinking any kind of aggressive preparation."

Asked how long Greece will need American economic aid, he said: "The Government is convinced that the pacification of the country and the great electrification and industrialisation projects will contribute to a radical revitalisation of the national economy."

"From now on, a just sharing of fiscal charges and a tight check on public expenses will be a basic element of the Budgets balance. We hope international markets will soon absorb Greek products again."—Reuter.

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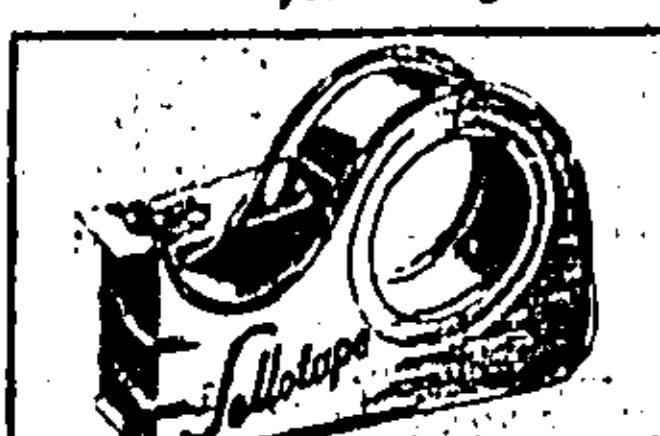
Washington, June 7.
The Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, announced today that the United States was reducing its diplomatic staff in Poland.

A review had shown that they could not perform their duties effectively, he told reporters. News reports from Warsaw today said the departing diplomats should be gone by the end of the month.

The Czech Government on May 23 asked the United States to reduce its Czech Mission to a total of 12 Americans and seven Czech employees. The United States then asked Czechoslovakia to close her consulate in New York.—Reuter.

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Berlin, June 7.
In Germany today, five years after the apparent death of Hitler, anti-Semitism flourishes again in such forms as the night-time desecration of Jewish cemeteries.

Who is responsible? The Jews—shuddering—say it is chiefly the youngest generation. This is one which cannot blame Hitler and Nazism for injecting anti-Semitism. And that, for Germany's surviving Jews, is an evil omen.

In recent months attacks upon Jewish cemeteries have occurred across this country. In West Germany they have been admitted and officially deplored by Chancellor Konrad Adenauer as "shameful."

In Russia-occupied East Germany and the Soviet sector of Berlin they have been hushed up because the Communist Governments there pretend to be the friend of the Jews and enjoy painting the finger of anti-Semitism against Allied West Germany.

In some areas of West Germany, notably the state of Hesse, the desecrations have become so frequent that Jews are seriously considering moving their famous dead abroad or asking for internationalisation of Jewish cemeteries in Germany as a protective measure.

Two-hundred cases

One Jewish authority said he knew of about 200 cases of cemetery desecrations in West Germany since the end of the war in 1945. There are about 500 Jewish cemeteries in all Germany.

But what is most disheartening to the Jews is the youthful age of the offenders who are apprehended. Most of them are youths or children.

Sometimes they are dismissed by the police without punishment because "this was just childish foolishness and they did not even know they were playing in a cemetery."

The "Berliner Algemeine," official weekly of the Jews in Germany, recently complained about this attitude of the police and deplored the anti-Semitism in German youth.

"Recently they have caught another group of youngsters desecrating a Jewish cemetery," said the paper. "The oldest was seven years in 1945 when Hitler died. The youngest was three. Therefore there can be no talk that these children did something for which the Nazi regime was responsible."

"There is only one alternative—either the children were carrying out orders from elders or they were brought up in the spirit of anti-Semitism—the spirit which regards the desecration of Jewish cemeteries as play."

According to Jewish spokesmen, only one cemetery desecration has occurred—in Berlin—since the war. That was in the Welsensee district of the Russian sector, where 16 grave memorials were toppled.

The Jewish community protested to East Berlin's Communist Government and demanded protection. Russian-controlled papers did not print anything about the desecration or the protest.—Associated Press.

Washington, June 7.
Mr. John Foster Dulles, the Republican adviser to the State Department, will leave on June 14 for a first-hand study of the situation in Japan and Korea, the Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, announced at his press conference today.

Mr. Dulles has responsibilities in the State Department concerning proposals for a Japanese peace settlement.—Reuter.

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Kong Ooi, 29-year-old Chinese from Singapore, studying law in London, rehearses with Trevor Howard during shooting on the film "Cloudy Yellow" at Pinewood Studios, Iver, Buckinghamshire. Kong read an article in a London paper which spoke of a vacant role for a Chinese bookmaker who had interests on the black market. He applied for the job—and got it. Kong, brother to two well-known Singapore doctors, escaped the ranks of the prisoners of war through his work in the hospital at Singapore during the Japanese occupation. He pronounces his surname "Wee."—(AP Photo).

Statement to be made on claim

Canberra, June 7.
Australia's Minister for External Affairs, Mr. Percy C. Spender, announced today that he would make a Parliamentary statement tomorrow on the Indonesian claims to Dutch New Guinea.

(President Soekarno recently reiterated Indonesia's claim to West New Guinea, but denied that the Republic sought to possess Australian controlled East New Guinea.)

Mr. H. B. Gullett, the Government Whip, told Parliament that, regardless of politics, Members should give a united expression of the annoyance which Australians felt over the claims made by President Soekarno.

Dr. Herbert Evatt, deputy leader of the Opposition and a former President of the United Nations General Assembly, said that, as a last resort, there could be United Nations intervention in the matter and the Australian Government could get the matter settled to the advantage of Australia."

Mr. Evatt, who was External Affairs Minister in the Chifley Government, said: "The overrunning of Melanesians by Indonesians would lead to the destruction of tribal life in New Guinea."

New problems

"The taking over of Dutch New Guinea by Indonesia would lead to the very problem we are trying to solve in other parts of New Guinea, where native classes claim the right of entry but where the right is not accorded to."

"The United Nations Trusteeship Council maintains that the welfare of the native people is the main consideration."

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"Empty bellies" working for Reds, Senator says

Rome, June 7.
Senator William Benton declared Wednesday that

"empty bellies" and the failures of European capitalists are doing more to advance Communism than any impetus from the Kremlin.

Urging further real efforts to break down monopolies and customs barriers in Europe, he told the Rome American Chamber of Commerce:

"We put people in gnol in America for the same things they give people high honours over here."

Mr. Benton, former U.S. Assistant Secretary of State, issued a serious warning that the people and Congress of the U.S. were not satisfied with the co-operation they have been given so far by European governments and business leaders.

He declared that ECA had not yet insisted firmly enough upon economic integration and self-help and said that European business interests were doing all they could to sabotage steps toward a beneficial free trade.

Mr. Benton, who owns and publishes the Encyclopedia Britannica, said he spoke as an American, not as a representative of the government.

"If Communism is a real threat in Italy," he said, "then it is just because in Italy capitalism has not been working properly."

True recovery

For true recovery, he said, there must be unleashed private enterprise—and cartels—and monopolies and trade barriers must be broken down.

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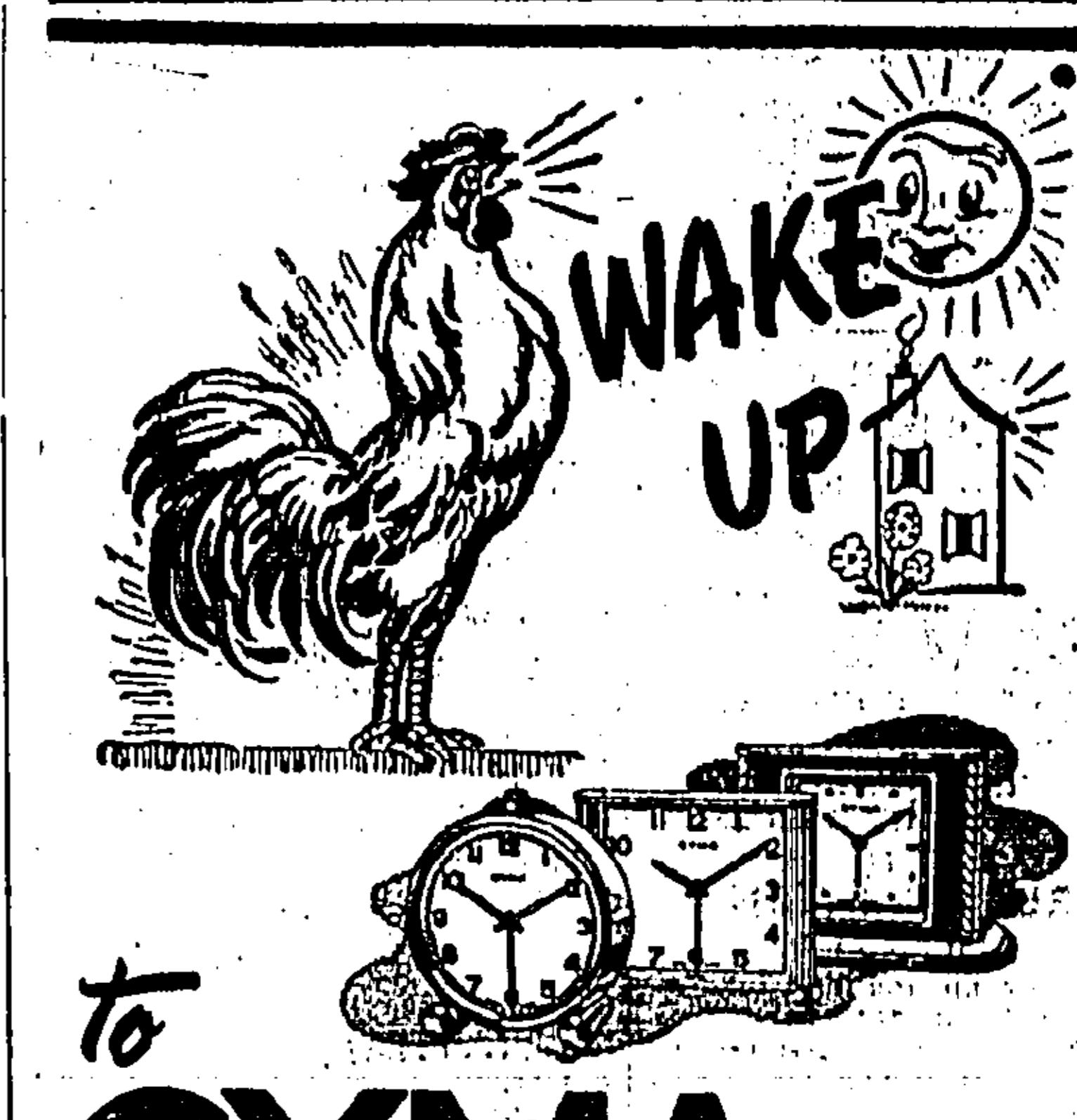
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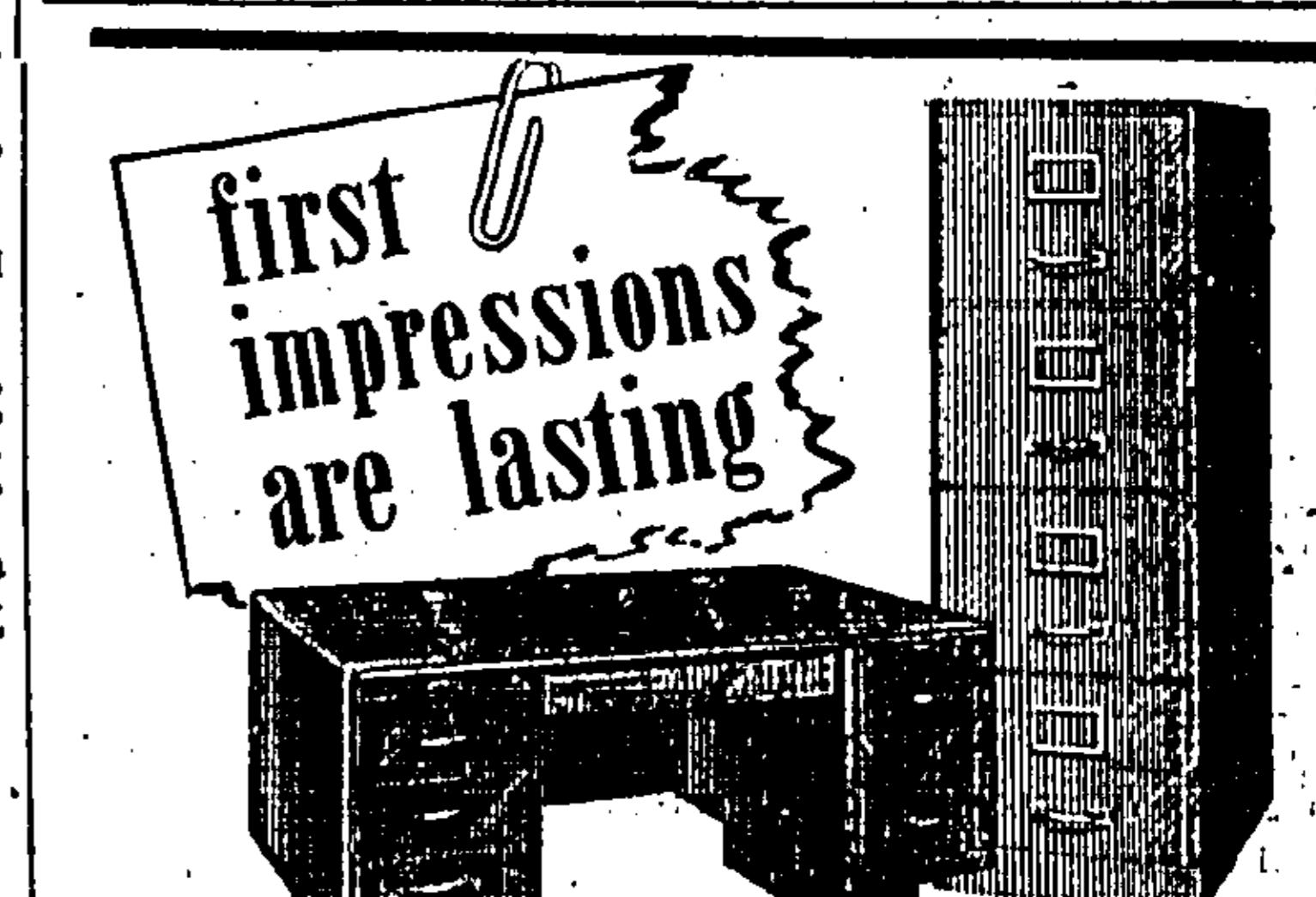
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The homes from which most of these young people come are disgusting slums, and it is in their homes that they spend most of their leisure. Few of them read anything except perhaps the Sunday papers. Few of them pursue any hobby. A surprising number just lie in bed on Saturday or Sunday mornings."

Other amusements are watching football and going to the cinema; boys and girls usually go separately. About a third of the boys and about half the girls go to a dance once a week. One in eight or nine goes climbing or hiking, and even smaller numbers frequent the greyhound races and amusement arcades, the cafes, milk-bars, speakeasies and theatres which the neighbourhood provides.

"An empty life indeed... For most of the poets, and one hopes for most of the people of the world, youth is the happiest, most lyrical, most desirable period of life. But for the majority of the inhabitants of our industrial cities who were interviewed, only 14 per cent had bothered to attend an election meeting. Only five per cent had attended a meeting of a party other than their own. Forty-four per cent had thrown away unread all the election addresses which had been sent to them.

In consequence of this, youth is apt to behave in such a way that age regards it as "undesirable unnecessary, and probably dan-

gerous."

Very few were able a few days before the poll to give the names of the candidates in their constituencies.

On the other hand it seems that about half the country listened to the radio speeches of Mr. Churchill and Mr. Attlee. The conclusion must be that the individual candidate counts now for little. He is the pawn of the party machine. But as the party leaders are promoted pawns this throws a grave responsibility upon the parties to choose with care the men they sponsor. Can it be said that they always remember this?

Peace vs. peace

The "Economist" has an important leading article entitled Peace versus Peace. It argues that Russia has scored heavily by leading the West on to talk about the "cold war." Because of our obsession with it, the impression is growing up that it is the West which has taken the initiative in waging the cold war. Russia has in consequence been able to pose as the champion of peace. On the one side the Americans and their cold war. On the other, the Russians and Picasso's dove of peace."

This is an absolute misrep-

resentation of fact. Far from being aggressive, the Americans were at first all out for withdrawal. "Their mood in 1945 and 1946 verged on isolationism. During the four-power conferences of 1946 the British representatives had on several occasions to hold their breath lest the Americans, in their overwhelming desire for agreement with the Russians, might try to achieve it at the cost of some vital European interest. Far from America being concerned to press its anti-Soviet policies on Europe, only the extreme evidence of Russian intentions and policies compelled an unwilling America to break with the tradition of generations and begin to join with the peoples of Europe to counter the Russian threat".

It is because the idea has grown up that the Americans have taken the initiative in the cold war that it is now popular in some European countries, such as France, to deplore American intervention in Europe. On this, the "Economist's" remark is very true. "Far from the United States needing Europe for its anti-Soviet plans, only Europe's desperate need finally enlisted American support and interest!"

The "Economist" concludes as follows: "Europe is not faced with a choice between peace offered by Russia and a cold war offered by the United States. The choice is between two kinds of peace—peace through strength on the Western model or peace through appeasement and capitulation, which is the only peace the Soviet Union seeks or understands. To talk in this context of a cold war is to confuse minds. It is time the Western peoples dropped the term entirely from their vocabulary, and used instead a phrase—peace-through-strength—is as good as any other—that genuinely expresses their firm but pacific purposes."

Lesson 37 (C)	
Vocabulary:	
250. (k'wah) gwah(1)	A melon.
251. (k'wah) gwah(2)	Fruit.
252. (ch'ang) ch'iang(1)	An orange.
253. (ch'ang) ch'iang(2)	Male.
254. (moo) ch'in(1) mui(2)	Female. A daughter.
Combinations:	
19. (t'ong) gwaw(2)	Preserved fruit. Confectionery.
20. Shang(1) gwaw(2)	Fresh fruit.
21. (1)Nuu yun(2)	A man.
22. (2)Nuu yun(1)	A woman.
General Expressions:	
85. (1)Pung gwaw(2)	An apple.
86. (1)Pung keh(2)	Tomatoes.
87. (1)Shue dzai(2)	Potatoes.
88. (1)Sheng jau(3)	Forenoon.
89. (1)Hah jau(3)	Afternoon.
(3)Shik (1)-Mut: (Continued)	Foodstuffs.
16.B. (2)Ngaw, jeet(1)- doh(3)	I know that.
16.C. (2)Ngaw, jeet(1)- doh(4)	Do you want me to buy anything else?
16.D. (2)Ngaw, jeet(1)- doh(5)	(Are there any more things to be bought?)
20.A. (2)Yau ah(3), yeo(3)	Yes, you must buy some tomatoes, potatoes, melons, vegetables, and also some fruit.
21.B. (2)Maay meet(1)-(2)ych	What fruit shall I buy?
22.A. (2)Maay meet(1)-(2)ych	Buy some oranges, apples, and some other kinds.
23. (2)Nay yut(1)-(2)maaye-doh(2) (1)-doh(3)	As soon as you have bought the things, you had better come back immediately;
24.B. (2)Yau gay(2)-dow(1)-gaw(3)	because the guests are coming to tea at 3 p.m.
25.A. (2)Yau ah(3), yeo(3)	How many guests are coming?
26.B. (3)Look-gaw(3) (1)yun-deem(2) (3)shik-duk(1)	Three men and three women, six people altogether.
27.A. (2)Yau yut(1)-gaw(3)	How can six people eat?
28. (2)Kul yut(1)-gaw(3)-(1)yun (3)shik-duk(1)	One of the guests is a big eater.
(2)Kul yut(1)-gaw(3)-(1)yun (3)shik-duk(1)	No alone can eat as much as three people.
(3)dau(1)-(3)yut(1)	(To be continued)

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1.16—Weather Report and Announcements.

1.25—Lightning Blade.

2.00—Close Down.

6.00—"Hong Kong Calling"—Programme Summary.

6.02—"Children's Story"—"Winnie the Pooh"—"Pooh Goes Visiting". Adapted from the Book of A. A. Milne. (BBCRT)

6.15—"From 'Kita me Kita'" (Cole Porter).

6.30—"Cantones" by Radio—Given by Miss Lee Wal Lin and Mrs. S. K. Lee (Studio).

6.45—"Light Orchestral Programme".

7.00—"Music Lovers Hour"—Classical and Light Classical Requests Presented by Yvonne Charter.

8.00—"News and News Analysis". London Relay.

8.15—"Studio Concert—Julietta Tam (Violin) and James Huang (Piano) with Piano Accompaniment by Betty Brown.

8.40—"Plane Interlude".

8.45—"Quiz"—Introduced by Kenneth Mackenzie. (Studio)

9.00—"From the Editorials". (London Relay).

9.10—"Weather Report".

9.30—"Symphony Orchestra".

9.45—"Radio Temple and the Madison Mystery". (BBCRT)

10.00—"Composer of the Week"—Berlin.

10.15—"Time for Music"—The BBC Light Variety Orch. (BBCRT)

10.45—"Dance Out to Eddie Duchin and His Orchestra".

11.00

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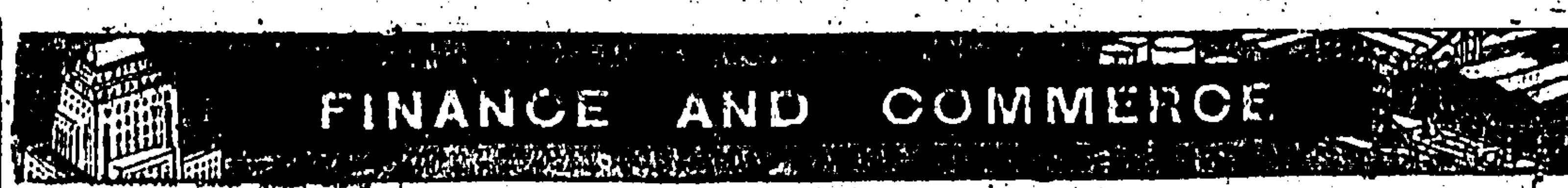
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TRADE RIVALRY IN MIDDLE EUROPE SEEN

New York, June 7. The stock market moved ahead briskly over a broad front today for gains of fractions to around three points.

There was a slight morning sinking spell, after which prices lunged ahead, some issues touching the highest peaks since 1929 before settling back a bit under profit taking.

Most in demand were steel, car and radio television stocks. Selected railway issues responded to only moderate buying.

General Motors was again active following Tuesday's spring to 93-3/4, but had trouble and ended up with a loss. Chrysler was a prime favourite during the time, shooting up four points before retreating slightly.

Turnover reached 1,750,000 shares for the session.

Traders still had not figured out what caused Tuesday's market to be one of the biggest in a long time.

Dow Jones averages: Stocks 78.10; 20 Industrials 223.00; 15 Rails 55.13; 10 Utilities 43.71.

Closing quotations:

Adams Express	22%
Alaska Juniper	3
American Can	110%
" Smelting	50%
" Telephone	150%
" Tobacco	80%
" Waterworks	10%
Anaconda Copper	32%
Aviation Corp.	8
Baldwin Locomotive	10%
Barnsill	51%
Bendix Aviation	45%
Bethlehem Steel	38
Boeing Aircraft	28%
Borden Co.	51
Canadian Pacific	15%
Case, J. I.	45
Chrysler	73%
Colgate	45%
Commercial Solvent	17%
Corn Products	60%
Du Pont	82%
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General Electric	95%
" Motors	95%
Goodrich	54%
Goodyear	45%
Homestake Mining	28%
International Harvester	45%
" Paper	45%
Tel & Tel	13%
Johns Manville	50%
Kennecott Copper	57%
Montgomery Ward	60%
National Distillers	21%
" Land	45%
New York Central	12%
Packard-Motors	37%
Pan American Airways	9%
Pennsylvania RR	16
Radio Corp.	21
Real Silk	14%
Remington Rand	12%
Republic Steel	34%
Reynolds Tobacco	38%
Schenley	31%
Sears Roebuck	45%
Shell Oil	44
Socony Vacuum	19
Southern Pacific	54%
Standard Brands	23
" Oil of Colif.	70%
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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Schuman plan and Britain

Paris, June 7. M. Robert Schuman, the French Foreign Minister, emphasized today that the French Government desired to see Britain join the proposed European coal and steel pool.

"We have not the right to cry victory, for we have great problems to solve," he said. "The French feel that it will be difficult."

"I repeat that the French Government continues to hope and warmly desire that our British friends will be able to join and associate themselves with the common effort under a form which cannot as yet be defined."

"We are showing a much understanding as possible in all particular situations."

M. Schuman said that the proposed High Authority concerned in the pool must not have national ideas or live in the clouds. Decisions would be orientated towards the general interest, he said.

If a member country was unproductive or physically incapable of fulfilling the role it was to play there must be the means of helping it to do so.

"What we seek is one large European market without Customs or other obstacles," M. Schuman said.

Its aim would be to increase production and assure the flow of goods.—Reuters.

Agriculture plan wanted

Stockholm, June 7.

The French and German delegations to the International Federation of Agricultural Producers' Congress in Salt-Sjödalen, near Stockholm, today issued a declaration calling for a "Schuman Plan for agriculture."

The declaration said there were no essential obstacles to co-operation between French and German farmers in a common market.

Difficulties could be settled with mutual goodwill by agreements for products, and by seasonal conventions enabling the legitimate interests of producers in the two countries to be safeguarded.

The delegates said that they had decided to constitute a commission between the organizations they represent, with a view to permanent co-operation, "leading on the one hand, to a reduction of the retail prices of agricultural produce and, on the other hand, to the establishment of a market for all the products of the two countries at normal prices for their farmers."—Reuters.

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"BENAVON"	"	16th July
"BENVENUE"	"	29th July
"BENDORAN"	"	9th Aug.
"BENLAWERS"	"	14th Aug.

SAILINGS

SHIP	FROM	DATE
"BENMACDHUI"	London, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg & Hull.	28th June
"BENAVON"	Liverpool, Dublin, Havre, Hamburg, & Hull.	30th June
"BENLOMOND"	Liverpool, Dublin, Havre, Hamburg, & Hull.	30th June
"BENALDER"	Genoa, Le Havre, London & Hamburg.	14th June
"BENAVON"	Liverpool, Glasgow, Dublin, Antwerp & Rotterdam.	15th June

